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## REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

### A Fair Attendance, But a Dull Gathering.

The republican county convention met in Jackson last Saturday, September 21. There was less interest taken in the assembling of the representatives of the party than for many years past, owing in part to the fact that only district officers had to be nominated, a supervisor in three townships. It was well known that the republicans had no candidate—a member of the party—for superior judge, and that was the only office that the convention as a whole had to fill. In two districts—three and five, there was nothing of local importance to come before the convention, and as a consequence these two townships were feebly represented.

The convention was called to order by the secretary of the central committee, Dr. Gall. Nominations for temporary chairman being in order, C. H. McKinney of Sutter Creek, was chosen without opposition. For temporary secretary, Clarence Bradshaw of Pine Grove was elected.

The temporary roll call of delegates was read as follows:

North Jackson 7 delegates.—W. D. Dufrene, E. Dufrene, Chris Carlisch, A. Haverstick, Wm. Schroeder, John Hosking, F. B. Lemoin.  
South Jackson 6 delegates.—A. M. Gall, V. S. Garbarini, A. L. Stewart, W. P. Peek, C. B. Arditt, H. Emerson.

East Jackson 5 delegates.—F. Duden, T. J. Burrow, Jr., B. F. Taylor, H. Garbarini, P. L. Casinelli.

West Jackson 5 delegates.—O. C. Myers, T. K. Norman, S. T. Harris, C. Courtright, Antone Rickert.

Center Jackson 5 delegates.—W. G. Snyder, R. Webb, H. E. Kay, C. M. Kelley, C. W. Schacht.

Clinton—T. J. Beauchemin, Thos. S. Fregulla.

Township No. 2.  
North Ione 6 delegates.—J. Jones, M. E. Fasset, George Winter, John Robertson, L. T. Eaton, R. K. Scott.

South Ione 7 delegates.—E. G. Woolsey, E. Schmidt, C. W. Swain, John F. Wharf, Sherman Alford, W. A. Bennetts, A. J. Messtretti.

Buena Vista 1 delegate—Albert Sohn.

Lancha Plana 2 delegates—Ruben Pardoe, Phil Sheridan.

Township No. 3.  
Volcano 3 delegates—A. Grillo, Harry Ferry, Wm. Marsino.

Pine Grove 3 delegates—O. L. Webster, Rubin Walker, C. Bradshaw.

Antelope 1 delegate—

Oleta 4 delegates—

Township No. 4.  
East Sutter 6 delegates—Domenico Berta, W. A. Burres, D. V. Kamazzotti, C. E. Richards, John Cox, John Higgins.

West Sutter 3 delegates—Geo. C. Chisholm, John Profumo, T. S. Tuttle.

South Sutter 5 delegates—W. E. Downs, C. H. McKinney, G. A. Tolman, J. E. Tanner, John Richards.

South Amador, 2 delegates—R. A. Bennetts, Geo. F. Williamson.

North Amador, 2 delegates—W. E. Whitehead, R. E. Kerr.

Township No. 5.  
North Plymouth 3 delegates—Thos. Davis.

South Plymouth 3 delegates—H. E. Potter.

Forest Home 1—  
Drytown, 3 delegates—Geo. C. Jennings, A. L. McWayne, D. Bona.

On motion committees were appointed on Credentials, Permanent Organization and order of business, and platform and resolutions, each consisting of ten members, two from each township. A short recess was then taken to enable the chairman to look over the list of delegates and make selections for the committees. Upon reassembling these committees reported as follows:

Committee on Permanent Organization and order of business reported:

1. That the temporary officers be the permanent officers of the convention.

2. Report of committee on credentials.

3. That an assessment of one dollar be levied upon each delegate and proxy, and that each candidate be assessed five dollars.

4. Report of committee on platform and resolutions.

5. Nomination of a candidate for superior judge.

6. Selection of candidate for chairman of county central committee.

7. Recess for the purpose of allowing the delegates to meet in district conventions, and select candidates for supervisors and members of county central committee.

8. Ratification of district nominees. The committee on credentials reported

ed the delegates read at the preliminary roll call as entitled to seats in the convention, with the proxies as follows:

Jackson—W. Snyder proxy for Schroeder; A. M. Gall, proxy for J. Hosking; H. Garbarini, proxy for V. S. Garbarini; R. Webb, proxy for H. D. Emerson; T. J. Burrows, proxy for B. F. Taylor.

Township 4—John Profumo, proxy for Geo. Chisholm; F. H. Williams, proxy for W. E. Whitehead; Wes Amick, proxy for R. E. Kerr; Morris Jones, for R. A. Bennetts; Herbert Woolsey for George F. Williamson.

Township 5—H. E. Potter, proxy for A. McWayne, Geo. C. Jennings and Dan Bona.

Committee on resolutions reported the following:

Gentlemen your committee on platform and resolutions begs leave to report the following:

We must heartily indorse the republican national administration. It has by its matchless statesmanship increased the prestige of our country abroad, and security at home. We have no doubt of the ratification of its purposes and policies at the coming election, and that our countrymen will triumphantly elect as president of the United States that fearless, conscientious, and upright American, William H. Taft.

We cordially commend our senators at Washington for their vigilant and able care of the interests of our nation and state, and heartily indorse the selection of our senior senator, Geo. C. Perkins, for re-election to congress.

We heartily indorse the record of our representative in congress, Hon. W. A. Englebright, and most earnestly recommend his re-election to congress.

We take pride in the administration of our governor, Hon. J. N. Gillett, and we approve the course of the other officers of the present republican state administration, and our representatives in the legislature.

We heartily indorse the principles enunciated in the national republican platform recently adopted at Chicago, and upon our party's record in the fulfillment of its pledges we confidently appeal to the suffrages of the American people.

W. G. Snyder, Chairman.

Nomination for Superior Judge.  
When the chair declared nominations for superior judge in order:

W. G. Snyder arose and placed in nomination the present incumbent and democratic nominee, R. C. Rust. In doing this he made a brief speech, saying that our superior judge was the peer of any judge in the state. While the delegates assembled were republicans, the claims of citizenship were higher than the claims of party. He believed in lifting the judiciary out of party politics, and hence he proposed R. C. Rust as republican nominee for superior judge.

R. Webb expressed surprise that such a proposition should be made. He was not only surprised but pained at such action. He was there as a republican, representing republicans, and he could see no authority for a republican convention, on any excuse whatever, in traveling outside of the party for its nominees. He had no personal feeling against Judge Rust, but could see no good to the republicans in making him the party nominee. He had attended about every republican county convention for over thirty years, and during a portion of that time the party was much weaker in numbers than now, but never before had the proposition come up to adopt a candidate from the other side. They might search in vain for such a departure from party policy on the democratic side.

Could they point to a single instance of a democratic convention nominating a republican superior judge in the out and out surrender fashion that was proposed by Amador republicans today. He hoped the gentleman would withdraw the nomination. It was loaded, and loaded with dynamite not to help but to weaken the republican party.

J. Williams holding a proxy from Amador, seconded the nomination for Judge Rust. He had but recently come to the county, but intended to settle here, and practice law. He had heard of the record of Judge Rust, and it afforded him pleasure to second his nomination on the republican ticket. C. W. Swain of Ione opposed the nomination.

It was proposed to call the roll and the question arose as to how the vote should be taken. R. Webb and others contended that inasmuch as the matter assumed the character of a contested nomination, just the same as though two republican candidates were before the convention, the

proper way to decide it was by secret ballot—the way all contested nominations are decided in county conventions.

But the advocates of a viva voce vote were in the majority, and the chairman held that the roll should be called, and each delegate answer "yes" or "no" as his name was called. The vote stood 46 for, and 11 against. Those voting no were from Township 1—R. Webb, 2 votes, W. P. Peek. Township 2—W. A. Bennetts, M. E. Fasset, Robinson, E. G. Woolsey, F. Wharf, A. J. Sohn, Ernest Woolsey and C. W. Swain.

Judge Rust was called before the convention, and thanked the delegates for the compliment. He had always been a consistent democrat, as a judge he knew no party nor friends. For Supervisors.

A recess of fifteen minutes was taken to enable the township delegates to get together and select candidates for supervisors. In township 2 and 4 the matter was quickly decided. W. M. Amick was the unanimous choice in township two, no other name being presented to the convention. In township 4, Fred Werner was chosen without opposition.

In township one the delegates wrestled with the question in vain. Dr. Gall, T. K. Norman, W. P. Peek, A. L. Stewart, S. T. Harris, C. M. Kelly, H. E. Kay and T. J. Burrows were mentioned, but all declined. Finally, seeing the hopelessness of reaching a conclusion, the convention was adjourned to meet in Dr. Gall's offices Tuesday evening to decide the issue.

For chairman of county central committee, C. H. McKenney placed in nomination. Dr. A. M. Gall and he was elected without opposition.

For secretary of county central committee, C. E. Richard of Sutter Creek was elected.

The members of the county central committee, two from each township were appointed: Township 1, W. D. Dufrene, H. E. Kay; township 2, E. G. Woolsey, W. A. Bennetts; township 3, C. Bradshaw, Claude Wilson; township 4, C. E. Richards; township 5, H. E. Potter, A. McWayne.

The county central committee was empowered to fill all vacancies that may occur in the ticket, and to file the certificate of nomination for all candidates.

A committee of five was appointed under the purity of election law.

The convention then adjourned with cheers for Taft and Sherman soon after three o'clock. I was a short and dull convention.

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## A CLOSE GAME.

**Jackson Wins at Baseball Against Camanche.**

The best contested game of baseball that has been witnessed in this county was played on the Jackson grounds last Sunday, between the regular team of the Jackson social and athletic club, and a picked nine from Camanche, Calaveras county. The visitors were warmly greeted. It was their first tussle with the local boys. Their reputation as players had preceded them, and the Jackson twirlers fully understood that it would be no easy task to conquer; that they would have to bring out the best that was in them to make a favorable showing.

All through the game the rival teams kept neck and neck. When the ninth innings was finished the score stood 4 to 4. It was necessary to continue the game to decide the question of superiority, or else leave it a drawn battle. They concluded to play on until one or the other should score a lead. Two more innings were played, without a single score on either side. In the twelfth innings the Jackson players scored one run, and the Camanches failed to score. Jackson was awarded the victory, on a 5x4 basis. Notwithstanding the closeness of the contest, the best of feeling prevailed throughout. The visiting boys were jolly, good natured fellows, maintaining throughout the utmost friendliness, while doing their level best to win. The local players expect to go to Camanche this season and play a return match.

Receipt books, location blanks, deeds mortgages, promissory notes, etc. for sale; also mining signals on cloth, graduation diplomas, at the Ledger office

## MINING NOTES.

**Copper Hill**—In a conversation with W. F. Detert, the owner of the Copper Hill mine near Latrobe, we were informed that there is no truth whatever in the report published last week that five teams were engaged in hauling copper ore from the mine to Latrobe. Not a pound of ore has been shipped, and there is no ore awaiting shipment. They are still engaged in development work. One shaft is down 100 feet. The ore has not been tapped at this depth, and its character is unknown. There are some large bunches of low grade rock in one or two places at other points, but nothing certain as to its paying character. The report of ore shipments was probably started from the fact that W. D. Duke has secured several teams to haul wood from the ranch to the railroad. The conclusion was jumped at that ore was being shipped.

**Keystone**—We understand that the operation of this mine under the McDonald ownership will come to an end this week, and that the boulders will thereafter be in control.

**Kennedy**—A number of employees were laid off a shift or so the early part of the week, to enable needed repairs to be done in the shaft.

**Bellweather**—Nothing more is known concerning the probable sale of this property. Rumors are afloat that the mine will certainly change hands as soon as the probate proceedings have reached that stage to warrant a transfer.

**Little Amador**—We are informed that a payment on the purchase price of this property at Amador City has been made, and that work will be resumed shortly.

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## Returned From School

### Superintendent's Association.

W. H. Greenhalgh, county school superintendent, returned Saturday evening from Lake Tahoe, where he attended the session of the school superintendent's association held at the Talloc hotel last week. He reports having had a most interesting and enjoyable time. One point which will interest the people of this county is the action in relation to county high schools. There was a section of the convention composed of all those counties employing less than one hundred teachers in the public schools. Amador county is of course included in this list. A proposition was discussed, and met with unanimous favor, recommending that the salaries of all county high schools be paid entirely from the state treasury, and the establishment of a uniform rate of salary. It was also recommended that each county be entitled to have a county high school, the county providing the building and running expenses for the same, the state paying the salaries. It was thought that the school should be of the polytechnical order, where the pupils could be taught industrial branches. The idea seemed to take with all the superintendents as just the right thing. It was urged that the representatives of the smaller counties in population should be urged to work in the next session of the lawmaking body for the passage of such a law.

## New Railroad Incorporation.

Articles of incorporation of the Amador Central Railroad Company were filed yesterday with the county clerk of San Francisco. The road is to run only ten miles and is to acquire and operate the property of the Ione and Eastern Railroad Company from Ione to Martell, near Jackson, Amador county. The capital stock of the new concern is \$400,000, of which \$15,000 is subscribed. Frank J. Solinsky, jr., one of the directors, holds 144 shares of stock. The other directors, holding only one share each, are Frank W. Webe, Paul C. Morf, Philip Strubel, Taiton Hawes, Joseph L. Scotchler and Fred Hanak. This is the reorganization of the I. and E. railroad, incident to the change of ownership under the recent foreclosure proceedings.

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**Friday**—John Advancovich and wife, Los Angeles; J. S. Casey, Sacramento; J. C. Tierney, Ione.

**Saturday**—M. LaShells, P. Sheridan, R. C. Pardoe, Lancha Plana; R. W. Scott, San Jose; E. G. Amick, M. Hammer, Edwin Burris, Ione; F. A. Horton, Buena Vista; Mrs. M. E. Skelly, Marguerite Skelly, Butte City; Grace A. Dufrene, Stockton; Wm. Pratt, Campo Seco.

**Sunday**—A. H. Kerr, E. Gooding, W. G. Serlack, E. Dean, H. Peterson, C. Peterson, O. C. Gooding, B. Zimmerman, E. Zimmerman, B. Cromer, W. Downey, Wallace; Wm. Foss, C. D. Dorn, D. Giovannoni, San Francisco; A. E. Gartin, Isabel Campbell, Elsie Martin, Harry Ashton, Jennie Postle, M. Fortner, Ione; Tracy Clifton, Dagon; Chas. Bloom, Chas. Gilbert, Oleta.

**Monday**—P. Schrader, Sutter Creek; M. Guilfoyle, Sacramento; C. A. Stirmann, Defender; Glenn Gilbert, Oleta.

**Tuesday**—I. W. Van Sandt, B. Levy, San Francisco; Gustave Schrader, Paul Bernardis, Sutter Creek; Ernest Gooding, Camanche; Annie L. Monroe, Farndale; Lilla Bisbee, Angels Camp; Thomas Westfall, A. H. Arnett, Defender.

**Wednesday**—C. H. Shields, Monterey; Jas. McBride, Sacramento.

**National**—Thursday: A. J. Roberts, E. W. Poe, Stockton; H. L. Huston and wife, Arigo Tereghino, San Francisco; J. Pearce, Amador City.

**Friday**—Chas. S. Littman, H. G. Doyle, D. C. Howard, W. Wallenberg, H. F. Adler, San Francisco; Mrs. A. S. Church, I. N. McDougal, Sacramento; Fred Crump, Stockton; H. L. Cummings, Electra.

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**Sunday**—W. A. Jones, C. P. Frisk, A. J. Hamston, I. W. Van Sandt, San Francisco; W. Brown, Oleta; E. D. Boydson, Volcano.

**Monday**—E. S. Barney, Chas. Miller, Drytown; F. P. Curti, J. Mihe, San Francisco; E. Ferguson, E. Chase, Angels Camp.

**Tuesday**—F. H. Weller, V. S. Nevins, San Francisco; N. Callender, Washington, D. C.; C. G. Gall, Ed. Gates, W. H. Sheets, Stockton; A. N. Sanborn, J. Boyle, San Francisco.

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## Registration Matters.

Two Chinamen have been registered as voters of Amador county in township one. They are of course native born citizens, of Chinese parentage.

One is named Wah Kee, a cook at the National hotel, the other gives his name as Yeh Bing Nan, who is employed in the Enterprise stable. Both are versed in the English language, and were able to comply with the legal provisions requiring applicant for registration to write his name and to read the constitution in the English language.

A few days ago, a citizen of the United States, recently arrived from Bisbee and who had voted in different parts of the country, applied for registration and was rejected because he could not write his name nor read the constitution. The other states where he has voted did not require this educational qualification.

Registration closed last Wednesday. The names have not been all sent in by outside deputies. In township 1, however, there is a considerable shortage of voters as compared with last election. The falling off will doubtless apply throughout the county.

## Heavy Hailstorm.

Last week when the heavy thunderstorm occurred along the mother lode, accompanied by some rain, an unusually severe hailstorm was experienced at Pine Grove. The hail fell so abundantly, and the stones were of sufficient size to cut the fruit in many orchards in that vicinity all to pieces, also the foliage. Peaches and other fruits were badly damaged. Just around Pine Grove seems to have been the storm center of the hail.



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## WHERE ARE WE AT.

In party politics it is almost invariably the safe course to do the very thing the partisans of the opposite side do not want to have done, and leave undone the very things they want to have done. Democrats are not good advisers in the republican camp. We might say vice versa, but it is hardly necessary, as republicans as a rule are content to confine themselves to their own party affairs, and leave the democrats to run their business to suit themselves. Attempts to fraternize by labeling this or that office as non-partisan under our present elective system, and nominating one of the opposite political faith to fill that office, is only mischievous and demoralizing. Coquetry in politics is weakness under any circumstances, and is apt to be regarded as betrayal. When that idea gets abroad in the ranks, a lack of confidence is the result, and endless explanations are in order which are usually but transparent excuses, tending to make a bad matter worse. "Hew to the line, let the chips fall where they may," is the proper motto to follow in politics, as in all other lines of human activity.

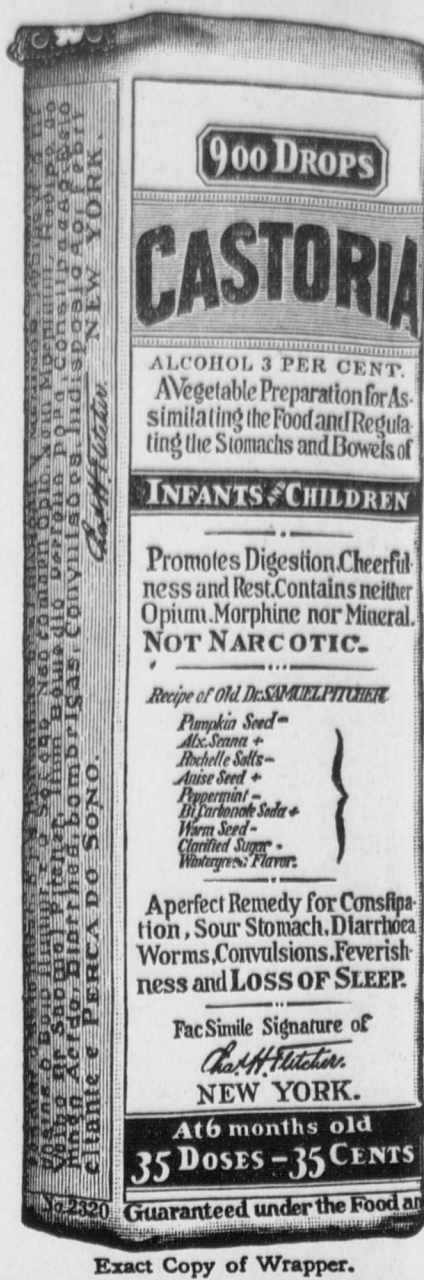
We are moved to these remarks by the action of the republican county convention in nominating judge Rust, a lifelong democrat, present incumbent, for superior judge, and who had previously been selected as the candidate of his party for re-election. The impression is abroad that this denouement was the outcome of weeks and months of plotting and wire-pulling, which were as unseemly and demoralizing to the party to be benefited as to the party of concession. It was not the spontaneous outburst of appreciation and compliment, regardless of partisan benefit, but just the reverse—a cold-blooded interchange of supposedly strategic advantages, and dubbed by its promoters and executors as "good politics." The editor of the Ledger, by voice and pen, opposed this two-party alliance for one-party benefit. He has no apology to offer for so doing. He would take a similar course even though he stood solitary and alone in protest. The republicans, it is true, had no candidate for judge. It is equally true that judge Rust is the best qualified man in Amador county for that position. But this afforded no plea to try to head off any competitor by seeking or accepting a nomination on two opposing tickets. The effects from a republican standpoint are as follows:

1. Usurpation of authority. A republican convention is called to transact business for that party only. It is not empowered to adopt candidates of the other side.

2. Breeds dissension. It is policy to promote harmony, and avoid all cause for dissension. There was no call for throwing this bombshell into the ranks. The place could have been left open, for some straight-out republican from the outside, or the indorsement by the individual voter of an independent candidate should one offer. But it was to stave off all danger in either of these directions to the democratic nominee that this republican-democratic combination was entered into. One-fourth of the convention had the moral courage to vote against this unseemly alliance. With a secret ballot, which is the customary and proper way to settle such matters, it is doubtful if the nomination would have carried at all. The "big stick" has some weight. But even taking the vote as it stood as an index of the republican sentiment, it shows one-fourth of the republican party against the dicker. As a matter of fact, its supporters are in the minority, and the howl of disapproval is heard from one end of the county to the other.

3. Unwarrantably interferes with the freedom of the voter. It is the privilege of a voter to cast his ballot for any one on the opposing ticket. Whether republican or democrat he exercises his right in this respect according to his own liking. But no man likes to be dictated to in this regard. This stuffing of the republican ticket with a democratic nominee is an attempt to force republicans to vote for a particular candidate outside of their party. No thinking citizen can relish being placed in that predicament. Many a republican might be disposed to vote voluntarily and freely outside his ticket on an office which his party has left vacant, but he is apt to rebel at compulsion. This sort of political coercion was anything but a diplomatic move.

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## THE PILLORY.

Titus Oates and Daniel Defoe Both Suffered in It.

In the year 1837 the British parliament passed an act that put an end to punishment by pillory. Previous to the conquest this particular instrument of correction was in use in England and went by the name of the "stretch neck." It consisted of a wooden frame erected on a stool in which were three holes for the head and arms. For days together offenders against the common law were thus exposed to public view. From historic accounts it appears that this particular form of punishment was meted out to those convicted of frauds of every description not only in England, but in nearly every country in Europe. In the days of the star chamber, when religious feeling ran high, the pillory was the ordinary punishment meted out to those who offended against the church. In 1635 Titus Oates was sentenced to be pilloried for five days in every year during the rest of his life. Another famous sufferer was Daniel Defoe, the author of "Robinson Crusoe," who stood for three days in the pillory in Cheapside. It happened on occasions that the offender died while undergoing his sentence. During the time of exposure the condemned man was not allowed to receive food of any sort or description. The last occasion on which a pillory sentence was passed was in 1814.—London Globe.

## A KING'S HOBBY.

The Mania of Frederick William I. For Collecting Giants.

Of all the manias that afflict mankind the most ancient and curious is probably that for collecting. The victims collect pretty nearly everything from books to shoe buckles and from pots to postage stamps, but giant collecting was the hobby of Frederick William I., king of Prussia.

Nature designed him for a recruiting officer; destiny made him a monarch. All were fish who came to his net—Saxons, Austrians, Hessians, Turks, Swedes, Englishmen, Irishmen, Africans—provided they were at least two yards long. Some of his specimens were seven feet long. Now and then he obtained one still more prodigious.

The Saxon cabinet minister Wackerbarth, foreseeing the possible advantages of standing well with so near a neighbor, in 1715 dispatched to Berlin a recognition of his Prussian majesty's birthday. Aug. 14, no less flattering than unique, since it consisted of a large bundle of tobacco leaves, two handsome Turkish pipes and a bagful of fragrant Latakia, all committed to the hands of seven foot passengers, with a missive imploring the king's gracious acceptance of these trifles and the Cupid who bore them.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

## A Smile From a Stranger.

Most of us owe debts of gratitude to strangers whose kindly smile has sent sunshine into our aching hearts and has given us courage when we were disheartened.

It is a great thing to go through life with a smiling face. It costs little, but who can ever estimate its value?

Think how the pleasure of life would be increased if we met smiling faces everywhere—faces which radiate hope, sunshine and cheer! What a joy it would be to travel in a gallery of living pictures radiating hope and courage!

Who can estimate what beautiful, smiling faces mean to the wretched and the downcast, those whose life burdens are crushing them?

Many of us carry precious memories of smiling faces which we glimpsed but once, but whose sweet, uplifting expression will remain with us forever.—Success Magazine.

## She Was Deliberate.

It is said that Dinah Mulock Craik, the famous author of "John Halifax, Gentleman," made a habit of leaving at her bank the manuscript of each of her stories as soon as it was completed. It would remain there perhaps six months, and then she would call for it and see how the story affected her after that lapse of time. If it pleased her, the manuscript was sent to the publisher. Otherwise it was rewritten or thrown away.

## Ear Wagging.

Only animals with long and drooping ears are able to wag them. A rabbit, for instance, can do what it likes with its ear, dropping one or both and laving them flat along its back when dashing through thick cover. Hares are still more brisk in ear movements. But short eared beasts, like weasels and stoats, are unable to wag their ears in any degree, although they have enough ear to wag if they had the power.

## Accurate.

"See here, landlord," said an angry tenant after he had signed the contract for a year, "this house is full of sewer gas."

"Yes, that's what I told you."

"Told me?"

"Yes. You asked me if there was gas in every room, and I said there was."—London Answers.

## His Right Hand.

"My husband," said the fair bride, "says I am his right hand."

"I hope," rejoined her mother, "that he isn't like that man who never left his right hand know what his left hand does."—Chicago News.

## Easy to Suit.

Mrs. Eastend—"You'll not find me difficult to suit, Nora. (the new maid)—I'm sure not, ma'am; I saw your husband as I came in, ma'am."—Pittsburg Observer.

## OFFICIAL MAP

—OF—

## Amador County

veys by D. C. CARLTON, showing township and school district boundaries, ownership of all lands according to assessment roll of 1904, mineral claims, canals, location of all school-houses; also a townsite map of principal towns, namely Jackson, Sutter Creek, Lone, Amador City, Drytown, Plymouth and Volcano.

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## Amador County

### Descriptive Article

Amador county comprises an area of 648 square miles. It lies on the western slope of Sierra Nevada mountains, and embraces within its territory all the diversity of valley, foothill, and high mountainous lands.

Climate.—The climate of the populous portions of the county is as genial and healthful as can be found anywhere in California. As climate is one of the most valuable assets of this favored state in attracting population, Amador stands second to no county in this regard. It should, and no doubt will in time, when its climatic advantages are more thoroughly understood and appreciated, become a health resort not only for those in less favored states, but for the residents of other parts of California. The temperature alone the central portion rarely falls below 30 degrees above zero in winter, and as rarely rises to 100 degrees in the summer. Snow seldom falls in the settled districts, and never remains on the ground for more than a few hours. Of course, in the high mountain regions of eastern Amador the snowfall is very heavy—which is characteristic of the entire Sierra Nevada range. The summer season is always accompanied with cool nights; permitting of sound, refreshing slumber. Fogs are rare, cyclones are unknown, thunderstorms are infrequent.

Gold Mining.—The county, although rich in other sources of wealth, comparatively untouched, is noted principally for her quartz mines. The deepest gold mines in America are located here. The Kennedy mine is now taking gold in liberal quantities from quartz extracted from a depth of over 3000 feet below the surface, with every indication that the pay-ore extends to a much greater depth. Since the discovery of gold, the county has contributed fully \$100,000,000 to the world's supply of the precious metal. The mines are still yielding at the rate of about two million dollars annually. Nearly all of this wealth is produced by eight or ten mines operating on what is called the "mother lode," stretching clear across the county in a north-easterly direction a distance of twenty miles. The mines aggregate between 400 and 500 stamps, and furnish employment for over 1000 miners. This industry is still in its infancy. The unexplored territory, even along the main gold belt, is far in excess of the ground that has actually been worked or prospected. The county offers to-day one of the most inviting fields to be found anywhere in the world for the investment of capital in the fascinating business of gold mining, not alone along the mother lode, but also in the almost untouched mineralized country of the east belt, some ten or twelve miles from the main lode.

Besides gold, we have copper, deposits of pottery, coal, marble, slate, limestone, granite, and soapstone or talc—all undeveloped.

Agricultural Capabilities.—The agricultural possibilities equal, if not excel, the mineral riches. The valley lands will produce anything that can be grown in the most favored sections. In the foothill lands all kinds of deciduous fruits thrive; also all kinds of vegetable are raised where irrigation is practicable along the numerous water courses. Further up in the mountains, at an altitude of 2000 to 2500 feet, the soil is admirably adapted for apples and potatoes. A ready market for these commodities can be found in the various mining towns.

Grape culture and winemaking are becoming important industries, both the grapes and wine commanding a better price than the product of the lowland.

Land is cheap compared with other California lands. Improved farms may be secured for one-fourth the price current in some places. Unimproved lands can be had from \$5 to \$10 per acre. It does not require a fortune to buy a small ranch. There is room for a large addition to our agricultural population. Vast tracts now devoted to cattle ranges might be made the homes of hundreds of prosperous farmers.

Amador has a population of less than 12000. Three fourths of this is concentrated in a strip of three miles above and below the mineral belt.

Jackson, the county seat, has about 2500 inhabitants, and is an incorporated city of the sixth class. Other towns are Sutter Creek, Amador City, Drytown, Plymouth, Volcano, Pine Grove and Oleta. Ione City is the metropolis of the valley section, a thriving town of 1000 inhabitants.

The community is law-abiding. Educational facilities are excellent. A schoolhouse is within easy reach of nearly every family. There is one high school, located at Ione.

The assessment roll for 1907 is \$5,800,793, and the tax rate for both state and county purposes \$2 on the \$100.

The Southern Pacific has a branch railroad running to Ione. From this point the Ione and Eastern railroad extends 14 miles further to the mining section.

The various religious denominations and fraternal organizations are well represented.

The power plant of the Standard Electric Co.—one of the largest in the world—is located four miles from Jackson.

## ITEMS WORTHY OF PERUSAL

Recent experiments have proved that the sea water of the coast of Ireland is exceedingly rich in radium, as is the water of the Arabian Sea.

Astronomers figure that the famous Halley's comet, last seen in 1836, will again be visible to telescopes next fall, and that it will approach the earth until April, 1910, being apparent to the naked eye for several months before that time.

Over 2000 operations without a single accident have been performed by Paris surgeons with the use of a new anesthetic known as novocaine.

Sulphuric acid allowed to drip slowly upon a heated bearing until it cools, then removed and oil applied, is said to work a permanent cure.

The smallest healthy adult human brain ever recorded was that of a New York coachman, who died recently at the age of 46. It weighed but 24 ounces.

In New Zealand there is an island almost constantly enveloped in steam. Its waters appear green to the eye, but anything dipped into them is coated red.

The energy stored up in a gram of radium is said to be sufficient to drive a fifty-horse power automobile around the world at the rate of thirty miles an hour.

Of value to tailors and seamstresses is a pin cushion, invented by a Tennessean, which has a spring clamp for holding it on the arm of a sewing machine.

The "rolling stones" of Australia placed on a fairly smooth surface will soon roll together in a group. They contain a magnetic ore.

An Illinois man has invented a machine, something like the wireless telegraphy apparatus, which, he claims, will permit a person to influence the weather in a given locality in any way that he may wish.

### PLATFORM VS. SPEAKER.

The democratic platform demands such an enlargement of the powers of the interstate commerce commission as will enable it to compel railroads to perform all their duties as common carriers and to ascertain the physical valuation of railroads. This would create scores of offices, and would cost the government an enormous sum of money.

The platform pledges the party to enact a law creating a department of labor, represented separately in the president's cabinet. This would mean a new expense of several millions annually.

The platform declares for "an adequate navy," which means the maintenance of the navy at its present size, at least; and this calls for an expenditure three times as large as the naval budget of ten years ago.

The platform "favors a generous pension policy."

The platform advocates "the organization of all existing national public agencies into a national bureau of public health," with power "over sanitary conditions connected with factories, mines, tenements, child labor and other such subjects," which would require an expenditure of millions.

The platform favors "the establishment of district agricultural experiment stations and secondary agricultural and mechanical colleges in the several states." If the government should erect and maintain colleges in every state, it would have to spend many millions annually.

The platform favors a "liberal and comprehensive plan for improving every water course in the Union which is justified by the needs of commerce," including the connection of the Great Lakes with the Gulf, "and the navigable rivers with each other, and the rivers, bays and sounds of our coasts with each other by artificial canals;" and "we favor the creation of a fund ample for continuous work." The possibilities of expenditure under such a plan are limitless.

The platform favors "federal aid to state and local authorities in the construction and maintenance of post-roads." It the government should enter upon road building, it would have to spend many millions in order to satisfy the state and local authorities.

The platform pledges the party to the enactment of a bank deposit guaranty law, applying to all national banks and "available to all state banking institutions wishing to use it." The inspection and control of national and state banks which would be required to prevent abuse of the guaranty law would call for a large additional corps of government officers at great expense.

Here are propositions for the federal control of public health, schools, roads and banks, with an expenditure of unknown millions annually.

Yet Mr. Bryan is making speeches against "centralization" and extravagance!—Washington Post, Ind.

Ledger and Chicago Weekly Inter-Ocean, both papers for one year \$2.50 in advance.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given to the creditors of the State of California that the following Acts will be submitted to the people of the State of California for their ratification at the next general election to be held on the third day of November, A. D. 1908, to wit:

### SENATE BILL NO. 461.

Passed the Senate February 22, A. D. 1907. Lewis A. Hilborn, Secretary of the Senate.

Passed the Assembly, March 9, A. D. 1907. C. F. Curry, Secretary of State.

This Bill was received by the Governor, this 9th day of March, A. D. 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m. E. C. Cooper, Private Secretary of the Governor.

CHAPTER 424. An Act to provide for the issuance and sale of state bonds to create a fund for the construction by the board of state harbor commissioners of wharves, piers, seawall, state railroad, spurs and appurtenances in the city and county of San Francisco; to create a sinking fund for the payment of said bonds; and providing for the submission of this act to a vote of the people.

The people of the State of California, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. For the purpose of providing a fund for the payment of the indebtedness hereby authorized to be incurred by the board of state harbor commissioners for the construction of wharves, piers, seawall, state railroad, spurs and appurtenances in the city and county of San Francisco, at a cost not to exceed two million dollars, the state treasurer shall immediately after the issuance of the proclamation of the Governor, provided for in section hereof, prepare two thousand suitable bonds, each of the denomination of one thousand dollars each. The whole issue of said bonds shall not exceed the sum of two million dollars, and said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four per centum per annum, from the time of said sale thereof, and both principal and interest shall be payable in gold coin of the present standard value, and they shall be payable at the office of the state treasurer, at the expiration of nineteen years from their date, subject, however, to redemption by lot as in this act hereinafter provided. Said bonds shall be sold on the second day of January, A. D. nineteen hundred and nine, and shall be made payable on the second day of January, A. D. nineteen hundred and twenty-eight. The interest, according to such sale, shall be due and payable at the office of the state treasurer on the second day of January, and on the second day of July, of each year after the sale of the bonds; provided that the first payment of interest shall be made on the second day of January, A. D. nineteen hundred and ten, on so many of said bonds as may have been theretofore sold. At the expiration of nineteen years from the date of said bonds, all bonds sold shall cease to bear interest, and likewise all bonds redeemed by lot shall cease to bear interest as in this act hereinafter provided.

SECTION 2. The state treasurer shall call in, forthwith, pay and cancel the same, out of the moneys in the second San Francisco seawall sinking fund provided for in this act, and after the expiration of the said January, nineteen hundred and twenty-eight, also cancel and destroy all bonds not theretofore sold. All bonds issued shall be signed by the governor, and countersigned by the controller, and shall be sealed with the seal of the state treasurer, and each shall have the seal of the state stamped thereon. Each bond shall contain a clause that it is subject to redemption by lot after the expiration of nineteen years from the date of its issue.

SECTION 3. Interest coupons shall be attached to each of said bonds, so that such coupons may be removed without injury to or mutilation of the bonds, and shall be numbered and signed by the state treasurer. But no interest on any of said bonds shall be paid for any time which may intervene between the date of sale of said bonds and the issue and sale of the same to a purchaser.

SECTION 4. The sum of one thousand dollars is hereby appropriated to pay the expense that may be incurred by the state treasurer in having said bonds prepared. Said amount shall be paid out of the San Francisco harbor improvement fund on controller's warrants, duly drawn for that purpose.

SECTION 5. When the bonds authorized to be issued under this act shall be duly executed, they shall be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, in such parcels and numbers as said treasurer shall be directed by the governor of the state, under and subject to the provisions hereinafter provided, and the proceeds of the sale of such bonds shall be paid over by said treasurer to the board of state harbor commissioners; but said treasurer must reject any and all bids for said bonds, or for any of them, which shall be below the par value of said bonds on offer, and he may, by public announcement at the place and time fixed for the sale, continue such sale, as to the whole of the bonds offered, or any part thereof, until such time as the same may be sold. Due notice of the time and place of sale of all bonds must be given by said treasurer by publication in two newspapers published in the city and county of San Francisco, and by publication in one newspaper published in the city of Los Angeles, and also in one newspaper published in the city of Oakland, and also in one newspaper published in the city of Sacramento, once a week during four weeks prior to such sale. The costs of such publication shall be paid out of the San Francisco harbor improvement fund, on controller's warrants duly drawn for that purpose. The proceeds of the sale of such bonds shall be forthwith paid over by said treasurer to the board of state harbor commissioners; but said treasurer must reject any and all bids for said bonds, or for any of them, which shall be below the par value of said bonds on offer, and he may, by public announcement at the place and time fixed for the sale, continue such sale, as to the whole of the bonds offered, or any part thereof, until such time as the same may be sold. Due notice of the time and place of sale of all bonds must be given by said treasurer by publication in two newspapers published in the city and county of San Francisco, and by publication in one newspaper published in the city of Los Angeles, and also in one newspaper published in the city of Oakland, and also in one newspaper published in the city of Sacramento, once a week during four weeks prior to such sale. The costs of such publication shall be paid out of the San Francisco harbor improvement fund, on controller's warrants duly drawn for that purpose.

SECTION 6. For the payment of the principal and interest on the bonds authorized to be issued under this act, and designated as the "Second San Francisco Seawall Sinking Fund" shall be, and the same is hereby created, as follows, to wit: The state treasurer shall, on the first day of each and every month after the sale of said bonds, take from the San Francisco harbor improvement fund such sum as, multiplied by the time the bonds then sold, and outstanding have been sold, shall equal the amount of the principal and interest on said bonds then sold, and shall place the sum in the second San Francisco seawall sinking fund created by this act. Said state treasurer shall, on controller's warrants duly drawn for that purpose, employ the moneys in said sinking fund in the purchase of bonds of the United States of America, or of the several counties or municipalities of the State of California, which said bonds shall be kept in a proper receptacle appropriately labeled; but he must keep always on hand a sufficient amount of money in said sinking fund with which to pay the interest on such bonds as may have theretofore been sold, and to provide means for the payment of interest on the bonds that may be sold and outstanding, and adding a new section to said act to the number of section five of the act entitled "An act to amend section five of the act entitled 'An act to provide for the issuance and sale of state bonds: to create a fund for the acquisition by the board of state harbor commissioners for the acquisition of a necessary area for a tidal basin for wharves, piers, harbors and appurtenances in the city and county of San Francisco; 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FROM OUR  
CORRESPONDENTS

## Correspondents Wanted

We want a regular correspondent in Amador, Drytown, Plymouth and Volcano. We will send a daily paper free, also stationery supplies and stamps to any one who will act as correspondent in each of the above places. Let us hear from you. We want the news.

## AUKUM

Sept. 17—W. C. T. U. of the Bridgeport Union, holds mothers' meeting every third Wednesday in each month, and Union first Sunday in every month, and in our sparsely settled locality, two meetings a month is all we can attend to. The mothers' meetings are held at the ladies homes who visit the Union at the last meeting. The Union meetings convene in their own quarters in the hall at Aukum.

Mrs W. A. Carter invited the ladies to hold forth at her home on August 19. Mrs Carter's daughter, Mrs Fannie Evans, of Sacramento, was the guest of Mrs Carter for a few weeks. A very pleasant and sociable time was enjoyed, a light lunch was served.

Those present were: Mrs S. Farnsworth, Mrs N. Warren, Mrs F. Don-tater, Mrs E. Humphrey, Mrs S. Burns, Mrs J. Stumpff, Mrs Dillon, Mrs Randolph and Mrs L. A. Wrigglesworth. W. A. L.

## OLETA.

Sept. 23—School opened here last Monday with Miss Umstead as teacher.

Mrs May Cooper has gone to Plymouth, to cook at the Adams house, the place vacated by Mrs Huey.

Glenn Gilbert made a flying trip to Jackson and vicinity this week. There must be some attraction there, Glenn how about it.

L. Votaw was a visitor in Oleta Tuesday last.

Lorin Gilbert and James Whaley have just returned from a trip to Nevada. They report having had a nice trip and a good time.

Alfred Gilbert and Mrs Maggie Valmer, also her son, Clyde, were visitors at Mr Gilbert's mothers Sunday.

Miss Viola Shealer and Miss Hazel Smith have been engaged in picking almonds at Fred Yager's in Shenandoah valley.

Jim Sharp was in town with his last load of prunes for the season Monday.

E. Huey has brought his bride to Oleta, where they will make their home for the present, as he is in the saloon business here.

Miss Katie Schroeder is still confined to the house, after a severe attack of neuralgia. Pansy.

## IONE.

Sept. 24—Misses Violet Wood and Hulda Winter departed last Saturday for San Jose, where they will attend the State Normal school.

Lloyd Bagley who has been seriously ill, is very much improved, and there are hopes of a complete recovery.

Miss Edith Campbell went to Stockton Monday, to attend Healds Business College. She was accompanied by her father, who returned the following evening.

E. D. Dargitz, operator at the Southern Pacific depot, and his family have gone to Campo for a two months' visit. Mr Thompson of Redwood, will fill Mr Dargitz place during his absence.

The train changed back to the old schedule last Sunday, and the train men now stay in Ione at night instead of Galt, which is much more convenient for them.

Miss Amie Burris, who has been visiting in Stockton, returned home Saturday.

Robert Carpenter has succeeded Mr Parady as driver on Newman & Bagley's delivery wagon.

The "Noble Outcast" is to be played in the Ione pavilion tonight by Mokelumne Hill talent and a large crowd is expected. After the play a dance will follow, the music being furnished by the Peerless orchestra. Ionte.

## Church Notes.

The M. E. Sunday school will meet as usual on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. There will be the usual services morning and evening.

## EPISCOPAL.

Regular services will be held in St. Augustine's Episcopal church as follows:

11 a. m.—First and third Sunday in each month.

7:30 p. m.—Second and fourth Sunday in each month.

## Hoppy Hop.

Are you just barely getting around by the aid of crutches or a cane? Unless you have lost a limb or have a deformity - if your trouble is rheumatism, lumbago, sprain, stiff joints, or anything of like nature use Ballard's Snow Liniment and in no time you can throw away your crutches and be as well as anyone. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by Rubner's City Pharmacy.

## Back From Europe.

Domenico Boro and B. Airolidi both of this city, got back from their European trip Monday evening. They were absent over three months, visiting principally in their native country, Italy. Boro went on a business mission, and succeeded in disposing of some property he had in Italy. L. Poggi and W. Tam also started for the old country at the same time. The latter crossed the ocean in the same vessel with them, but went to Colorado to spend a few days in visiting relatives here. Poggi remained in Italy for a while longer, having some business to attend to, and partly detained on account of his wife's death. Her death was due to heart disease. She stood the ocean voyage all right, but the trip on the train seemed to hasten the collapse. Wm. Tam is expected home this week.

## OUR BIG COUNTRY.

A Season When the Sun Never Sets on the Stars and Stripes.

There is only one flag that the sun never sets on—the British. But the American flag is a close second, for the sun during half the year never sets on it either. That is to say, these two are the only flags that the sun is continuously shining over, no matter what his position in the heavens—the one all the year round and the other during exactly half the year, from March 22 to Sept. 22.

Of course it is true that on no day at all during the year can the sun be seen from any two points of continental United States at all times during a period of twenty-four hours. But the United States naval observatory has made careful calculations which by including Alaska, Porto Rico and the Philippines show that between the spring and fall equinoxes the sun never ceases to shine in the eyes of the American eagle.

Perhaps nothing could make us realize how great a nation our expanded country is better than this simple astronomical fact. Moreover, within these two dates there are also several other pairs of eastern and western extreme points where the same condition obtains, though for much shorter times.

It is not generally known, but the easternmost point in the United States and its island possessions is in the island of Porto Rico—longitude 65 degrees 12 minutes west, latitude 18 degrees 20 minutes north. The westernmost point is in Balobe island, in the Philippines—longitude 116 degrees 40 minutes east, latitude 8 degrees 0 minutes north. When the sun is at what the calendar makers call "north declination" of 0 degrees 19 minutes—that is to say, on March 22 and on Sept. 22—it rises in Porto Rico at exactly the same time that it sets in the island of Balobe. Between these two dates during the winter months the sun does set on the United States, and during the remainder of the year, the summer months, it does not.—Scrap Book.

## RATTLESNAKES' TEETH.

If You Should Happen to Get Any, Handle Them With Care.

The zoo keeper carefully unfolded a small paper packet, which looked as if it might contain a headache powder.

"Want a rattlesnake's tooth?" he inquired.

"Tooth?"

"Well, call it a fang if you want to, but ain't there something in the good book about 'sharper than a serpent's tooth?' Look at this one and you'll think that the old fellow that wrote that must have known what he was talking about."

He opened the paper and showed what seemed like a miniature horn. It was shaped like a cow horn, which has only one curve. It was yellowish white, like a discolored tooth.

It was about three-quarters of an inch long and a sixteenth of an inch in diameter at the base, where it seemed as if it had been broken off. The point was as sharp as a needle. An eighth of an inch back of the point, on the outer curve of the tooth, was an opening, the end of a sort of tube, which ran the whole length of the tooth.

This little channel through the tooth seemed to be full of a dried substance, which the zoo keeper evidently regarded with proper suspicion, for he warned the recipient of the tooth to handle the same with care. He did not think that one would get a true case of snake bite from one of these discarded teeth, but if the skin should be scratched or pierced by it a bad sore would probably result.

According to him, the keepers at the zoo often pick up these loose teeth in the snake cages. They are apparently shed in the course of natural changes, something as the serpent sheds his skin. They are not merely the snake's baby teeth, for he sheds them more than once.—Washington Post.

## The Gaelic Language.

The old Gaelic language was spoken by all the branches of the great Celtic race, for, while a dialect of the Celtic language, it was so like the other Celtic dialects that no Celt would find difficulty in speaking it. Specifically, it was the speech of the Manxmen, Welsh, Scotch highlanders, Cornishmen, Bretons and many of the Irish. It is still spoken in some parts of Ireland, Wales, the highlands and the Isle of Man.—New York American.

We exaggerate misfortune and happiness alike. We are never either so wretched or so happy as we say we are.—Balzac.

## Board of Supervisors.

At a regular meeting of the board of supervisors held Monday, September 21, at which all the members were present. The following proceedings were had:

For the year 1908 the number of miles of railroad in the county was established at eight for the Southern Pacific, and the assessment on franchise, roadbed, rails and rolling stock fixed at \$171,530.

The financial statement of Amador county for 1908, was presented by the county auditor, and the same was approved and adopted.

A notice was read from the state board of equalization fixing the rate of taxation for state purposes as follows:

General fund	19.2 cents
School	16.3
State High School fund	1.7
Interest and sinking	0.8
University of Calif.	2.00

Total \$10.00

The following communication from W. H. Greenhalgh, superintendent of schools was received as follows:

To the board of supervisors, Amador county:—Gentlemen:—According to section 1817 of the political code, it becomes my duty to report to you that the minimum amount of county school funds needed for the school year is \$15,330. Very respectfully,

W. H. Greenhalgh.

The following was received from H. D. Ranlett, resident of board of trustees, Ione union high school.

J. R. Huberty, county clerk and auditor—At a special meeting of the board of trustees of the Ione union high school, the board unanimously voted to raise the amount we asked for (\$2400) to a larger amount, namely an amount of 28 cents per \$100 on the assessed value of our district, which amount, we understand, is:

Railroad valuations	\$171,530
District valuation	745,530

Total \$917,060

28 cents on said amount would be \$2567.79, which is the amount we ask for instead of \$2400 formerly asked for.

Yours truly,

H. D. Ranlett.

It was moved, seconded and carried unanimously that the levy to be collected upon each \$100 valuation of the taxable property of the county be as follows:

State rate	40
Current expense	65
Hospital	17
Road	33
School	33
Bridge	12

Total tax rate \$2.00

Special taxes were levied in the respective districts as follows:

Ione union high school	28 cents
Sutter Creek fire district	10 "
Oneyda school bonds redemption	35 "

Communication of Mrs Gardella in regard to purchase of the Big Bar bridge read.

Adjourned until Oct 5.

Logan for Best Baby Photo's.

Logan, the premier photographer of Stockton, has won a substantial reputation by his splendid work in photographing the little tots. He has pleased thousands with his work and can certainly please you. Next time you are in Stockton, bring the youngsters along and have them photographed. Every comfort for mother and child in his big up-to-date studio at No. 15 S. San Joaquin street. aug. 7-2t

## If You Read This

It will be to learn that the leading medical writers and teachers of all the several schools of practice recommend, in the strongest terms possible, each and every ingredient entering into the composition of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for the cure of weak stomach, dyspepsia, catarrh of stomach, "liver complaint," torpid liver, or biliousness, chronic bowel affections, and all catarrhal diseases of whatever region, name or nature. It is also a specific remedy for all such chronic and long standing cases of catarrhal affections and their resultants, as bronchial, throat and lung disease (except consumption) accompanied with severe coughs. It is not so good for acute colds and coughs, but for lingering, or chronic cases it is especially efficacious in producing perfect cures. It contains Black Cherry bark, Golden Seal root, Bloodroot, Stone root, Mandrake root and Queen's root—all of which are highly praised as remedies for all the above mentioned affections by such eminent medical writers and teachers as Prof. Bartholow, of Jefferson Med. College; Prof. Hare, of the Univ. of Pa.; Prof. Finley, of Birmingham, M. D., of Bennett Med. College, Chicago; Prof. John King, M. D., of Cincinnati; Prof. John M. Seudder, M. D., of Cincinnati; Prof. Edwin M. Hale, M. D., of Hahnemann Med. College, Chicago, and scores of others equally eminent in their several schools of practice.

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## Deer Hunting Party.

A party of four, namely, John S. Garbarini, Willis Hoss, R. Onsbay and N. W. Dalporta, started from this city a week ago last Saturday on a deer and bear hunting expedition on Blue creek, a tributary of the Mokelumne river in Calaveras county, and some twenty miles above West Point. They drove up an old horse, which they killed in the bear haunts in the hope of decoying one of the bruiser species to the trap set for him. Bears will not eat the carcass of a dead animal until decomposition has set in, so in order to hasten decomposition, portions of the body were subjected to fire. But no bear came around while they were in that region. Deer, however, were there in plenty. J. Garbarini succeeded in killing one, weighing fully 200 pounds un-dressed. He brought the carcass home. The large spreading antlers were sent to Electra to be mounted. Willis Hoss also managed to capture a deer. The party returned home Friday night.

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Notice  
To Taxpayers.

Office of City Tax-Collector, City of Jackson, County of Amador, State of California.

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of the city of Jackson, that I, George M. Huberty, City Tax Collector of the city of Jackson, did on the 10th day of September, 1908, receive from the City Clerk and ex-officio Assessor of the said city of Jackson, the original assessment book for the year 1908, containing a list of the persons assessed for real and personal property and the amount of city taxes due thereon for said year.

That the whole of said taxes are now due and payable, and payment thereon may be made to me, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 6 p. m., at my office in the Marella building, on Court street, in the city of Jackson, California.

That said taxes will be delinquent on the first Thursday of November 1908, at 6 o'clock p. m., and unless paid prior thereto five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Taxes not paid according to law will be delinquent, and five per cent and other costs will be added thereto. **GEORGE M. HUBERTY,** Tax Collector of the city of Jackson, Dated September 10, 1908.

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## Political Announcements.

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Township Two, Amador County.

Election... Tuesday, November 3, 1908

**T. J. BTRROW, Jr.**  
Regular Republican Nominee for  
**SUPERVISOR**  
Supervisor District No 1, Amador co.

## Notice to Creditors.

In the United States District Court for the Northern District of California.

No. 5761 5762, consolidated.  
In the Matter of R. V. Koyovich, bankrupt.

To the Creditors of R. V. Koyovich of Jackson, Cal., a Bankrupt:— Notice is hereby given that on the 21st day of July, 1908, the said R. V. Koyovich was duly adjudged bankrupt, and that the first meeting of the creditors will be held at Room 505 Bryte Building, corner 7th and J streets, Sacramento, California on the 3rd day of October, 1908, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may come before said meeting.

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### TEMPERATURE AND RAINFALL

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Date.	Temp L. H.	Rainfall	Date.	Temp L. H.	Rainfall
Sep. 1, 1908	54 100	.....	Sep. 17	51 82	.....
2	56 101	.....	18	45 81	.....
3	56 100	.....	19	44 82	.....
4	58 98	.....	20	44 78	.....
5	60 95	.....	21	53 93	.....
6	61 83 0.02	.....	22	56 80	.....
7	58 85	.....	23	57 85	.....
8	41 91	.....	24	56 84	.....
9	51 87	.....	25	44	.....
10	55 80	.....	26	41	.....
11	61 88	.....	27	.....	.....
12	61 98	.....	28	.....	.....
13	60 99	.....	29	.....	.....
14	59 101	.....	30	.....	.....
15	54 89	.....	31	.....	.....
16	51 80 0.34	.....			

### LOCAL NEWS

J. F. Wilson, Dentist. Hours 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Phone—Office, black 441; residence, black 394; Jackson.

Mrs. J. Mello, who has been visiting relatives near Butte mountain for the past two weeks, returned to her home in Sacramento yesterday.

A private letter received by a friend in Jackson, stated that Mrs. M. W. Folger, who recently left here for Vallejo, to visit her children there, expected to leave San Francisco for Seattle the latter part of this week, taking her ward, Helen Shaver with her.

Julius Podesta, who has been under treatment in San Francisco for several months, returned home Wednesday evening, greatly improved. He had to undergo a surgical operation on account of a fracture of the leg sustained some time ago by falling from an electric light pole in this city.

Miss Edith Goldner returned home the latter part of last week from a visit to San Francisco.

Miss Rachel Goldner left Tuesday morning for San Francisco, to visit with her sister in that city, Mrs. Levy.

Upon the change of schedule in the departure of the stage for Martells last Sunday, returning to about half past 7 instead of 8 o'clock, three intending passengers got left. They appeared at the usual time, not knowing of the change, only to find that the stage had left a quarter of an hour before.

Mrs. Hedgepath left Tuesday morning for a visit with friends in Oakland.

John Ratto is reported to have made arrangements to open a moving picture show in Placerville, intending to run both in Jackson and the El Dorado city.

The moving picture man from Angels was here Saturday, for the purpose of looking over the ground to establish a branch show in this city. He left undecided as to what he would do. He has an idea of opening up in the former nickelodeon in the Webb building, formerly the Jackson shoe store.

Miss Alice Gartlin has resigned her position as teacher in the Jackson public school. She will continue to teach, however, until another teacher has been secured by the trustees.

At the opening of the Sutter Creek public school last week there was a total attendance of 189, with an entrance class of first termers of 30, children who had never before attended school.

The Masonic hall is being repainted and repapered on the inside, Albert Guerra is doing the work, and is making a very neat job.

The new office of the Kennedy mine, near the east shaft is having the finishing touches put upon it, in the way of plumbing, John Garbarini is attending to the plumbing.

Martin Gallagher and wife returned from their bridal tour of two weeks in Santa Cruz and other places last Tuesday. They went to their home in Electra on Wednesday, where Mr. Gallagher is employed as electrician.

Buy the best sewing machines made, for sale cheap. Z. T. Justus, Weil Bldg. Jackson.

### Grand Jury Proceedings

The grand jury was called together last Monday, for the purpose of considering criminal charges growing out of the broken Sutter Creek State Bank. The jury was in deliberation until Wednesday afternoon, when they returned five indictments for felony embezzlement, three against Jackson Dennis, president of the bank, and two against Peter Dabovich, the cashier.

The three against Dennis are based on the following grounds:

1st. That he did on the 20th of January, 1908, as president of the bank, appropriate to his own use the sum of \$500, the property of the corporation.

2d. That he did, on the 13th of March, 1907, appropriate to his own use the sum of \$11,250, the property of the corporation.

3d. That as president of the bank, and in violation of the provisions of the political code, by a false report concerning the condition of the bank, he deceived the state bank commissioners by a report stating that on the 28th day of December, 1907, the capital stock of the corporation in coin was \$30,000, when as a matter of fact it did not amount to said sum or any other sum.

The indictments against Peter Dabovich, are based on the same allegations upon which he had previously been arrested namely:

1st. That on the 17th of December, 1907, he appropriated the sum of \$117.21, belonging to V. W. Norton.

2d. That he did on the 8th day of January, 1908, appropriate to his own use the sum of \$925, belonging to Michele Facchiano.

Bench warrants have been issued on each of the indictments. The bonds in each case have been fixed at \$10,000, and new bonds will have to be filed in the superior court, the previous bonds in the justice court being unavailable. The indictments will require an additional amount of sureties from each of the accused. Dennis will be required to qualify in \$60,000 and Dabovich in \$40,000. It is believed that Dabovich will be able to secure bonds without much difficulty. W. G. Snyder, his attorney, was in Sutter Creek yesterday for the purpose of fixing up the bonds.

### For Assemblyman.

At the republican district convention held Saturday evening at Mokelumne Hill for the nomination for a candidate for assemblyman of the eleventh assembly district, E. B. Moore of Copperopolis was unanimously nominated for that position. It was thought that there might be some split among the Calaveras delegates, which might help the aspirations of others who were quietly seeking the office. But the action of the Calaveras county convention held early in the day, endorsing Moore for the position settled the controversy, and if there ever was any dissension among the delegates made them solid in his support. The convention has selected a strong candidate, who will run strong not only in his home county, but also throughout Amador, where he lived for several years, and is universally popular. Moore is undoubtedly a winner.

### Hitch in Getting License.

A young couple came over from Plymouth yesterday, and applied at the clerk's office for a marriage license. The prospective bride was sixteen years of age, and named Vera A. Wilkerson, of Paradise, Butte county. The groom's name was Avery S. Colburn of Plymouth, aged 21 years. As the young lady was under age, it was necessary to get the consent of one of her parents or guardian. This she had obtained, but a defect was found in the document, inasmuch as it was unverified. This prevented the license being issued thereupon. The couple remained here until the verification of the parent was secured by telegraph, whereupon the license was duly issued, and the pair left for Plymouth in a happy frame, where they were to be married.

### Renominated for Supervisor.

W. M. Amick, present chairman of the board of supervisors, was unanimously chosen as the republican candidate for re-election to that office. Amick is one of the best electioneers of the valley section. Notwithstanding his democratic opponent, R. Bagley, was pitted against him as a member of the invincible brigade, the reports from the valley go to show that Amick will get there just the same. His card appears in this issue.

### "THE NOBLE OUTCAST."

The play of the "Noble Outcast," will be presented in Love's hall tomorrow evening by a local dramatic company from Mokelumne Hill. It has already been presented in other towns, and is highly spoken of. A large attendance is looked for. Secure your seats early.

Don't think that piles can't be cured. Thousands of obstinate cases have been cured by Doan's Ointment. 50 cents at any drug store.

### FRANK BAMERT, SHOT AND KILLED

Whether an Accident or Suicide Uncertain. Tragedy on Cattle Range in Alpine County.

Word was brought here on Monday that Frank Bamert, the oldest son of the late Charles Bamert, was killed by a pistol shot, while on his summer stock range in Alpine county. There are two brothers, Frank and Edward Bamert, who annually drive their stock to the mountain pastures in Alpine county. Their range is in Hope valley, and embraces the lands formerly owned by the late W. R. Williams and Murphys. They occupied the old Williams residence, and there were there at the time the deceased, his brother Edward, and the latter's wife, and Miss Maggie Fleming, a sister of Mrs. Bamert, who was there on a visit, and had been there for two or three weeks.

The first reports that reached here were to the effect that the body of Bamert had been found on the range, a distance from home, with a gunshot wound in the head; that it had evidently been lying there about two days, and that it was a case of murder. It was reported that he had a quarrel with the forest ranger, and the supposition was that his death was related with this quarrel.

An effort was made from the sheriff's office here to find out the facts by telephone, from the officers of Alpine county. Communication was opened indirectly with the sheriff through the Reno office. The only reply from the sheriff, that from what he could find out it was a case of suicide.

It does not appear that any coroner's inquest was held. But an undertaker was sent for from Reno, who went to the scene of the tragedy, and embalmed the body, preparatory to its removal to the home at Clements in San Joaquin county. The remains passed Martells Wednesday evening, and Robert Fleming, who was accompanying the party that far, was in Jackson the same evening, and brought the first definite account of the sad affair. Whether he was present on the range when the tragedy was enacted, we cannot say, but at any rate his information came direct from those who were there. His account is to this effect.

"The shooting occurred Sunday morning in the dwelling on the old Williams place. The brother and his wife, and her sister were there when it happened.

There had been no quarrel with the forest ranger, so far as known; but it is said some dissatisfaction was expressed on account of the migratory tax imposed in Alpine, the position taken being that it was hard to be made to pay the federal government for the privilege of ranging, and a head tax to the county as well.

On the fatal morning, deceased complained that he was not feeling well, and would not go out on the range, but repaired to his own room to lay down and rest. The strange part is that no one heard the report of the pistol. This is remarkable when the solitude and silence of that mountain region is taken into consideration. Some time after his brother went in to see him and found him dead, with a bullet hole in his head. The ball entered on the right side, and ranged almost horizontally, coming out on the left side. According to another version, the ball entered the right cheek, and ranging upward, emerged from the top of the head. The relatives say it was an accident. That the deceased was cleaning the weapon—an hair-trigger pistol—when it was accidentally discharged.

Deceased was about 31 years of age, he was well liked by all who knew him. No motive for suicide is known. He was in good financial circumstances. A report was current that he was married to Miss Maggie Fleming in Alpine county on the 9th of September, but there seems to be no foundation for this. It is denied by those concerned.

### Best Treatment for a Burn

If for no other reason, Chamberlain's Salve should be kept in every household on account of its great value in the treatment of burns. It allays the pain almost instantly, and unless the injury is a severe one, heals the parts without leaving a scar. This salve is also unequalled for chapped hands, sore nipples and diseases of the skin. Price 25 cents. For sale by Jackson Drug Store, Spagnoli, prop.

### Died in Hospital.

James Agnew died in the county hospital last Monday. He was 76 years of age, and death was due to exposure and alcoholism. He was a hard drinker, and indulged his appetite in this direction at every opportunity. On the day of the big thunderstorm last week he got on a spree, and lay out all night in Sutter Creek. He was brought back next day, but gradually sank until death ended it all.

An up-to-date line of shirt waists just arrived, popular prices within reach of everybody at The Red Front.

## STILL IN THE FRONT

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### SUPERIOR COURT PROCEEDINGS

HON. R. C. RUST, JUDGE

#### New Cases

Estate of Agostino Biasotti—H. E. Potter petitions for letters. Estate consists of \$90 due for labor at the Keystone mine. The next of kin is alleged to be Giovanni Biasotti, aged 72, residing at Varese, Italy. October 3 set for hearing. Giovanni Biasotti also petitions for letters, and the hearing set for same date.

Charles Dufrene and W. J. Comfort vs. Allen Estate Company et al.—Suit to determine the right of plaintiffs to 30 inches of water of said Mountain Springs gulch, and the claim of plaintiff to the unobstructed use of said water, and to enjoin defendants from diverting or in any way interfering with said flow of water.

#### Burrow for Supervisor.

At the adjourned meeting of the republican delegates of township one, held in Dr. Gall's office Tuesday evening, there were about twenty delegates present. The business was quickly disposed of. T. J. Burrow, the electrician of the Amador Electric Light Company, was chosen unanimously as the nominee for supervisor in this district. In accepting the position, he said he did so fully realizing the responsibility. He promised to do all in his power to win and if elected no man would have any strings on him. He would try to satisfy himself, and by doing so he believed he would come nearest to satisfying his constituents. He would act as he believed to be right, and in accordance with the dictates of his conscience. Those who know him best know that he is just that sort of a man, and therefore the right kind of a man for supervisor.

Those present pledged earnest support, and thought the selection the best that could be made. The democratic, late independent, and now anything to win candidate, is electioneering. He is hugging the idea that he belongs to the "can't-be-beat" club. That is usually a fatal disease with candidates for office. The people take pleasure in black-balling them. They will quietly do so in this case.

#### Railroad Time Schedule Changed.

A new time card went into effect on the Amador Branch of the Southern Pacific September 20, 1908, causing a change in the schedule of the 1. and E. as follows:  
Stages leave Jackson 7:45 a. m.  
" " Amador City 6:45 a. m.  
" " Sutter Creek 7:25 a. m.  
Train leaves Martell 8:15 a. m.  
Arrives at Lone 9:05 a. m.  
Leaves Lone 9:15 a. m.  
The leaving time from Lone for the afternoon train, will depend on the arrival of the Southern Pacific train No. 132, which is due in Lone at 3:30 p. m. If the Southern Pacific is on time the lone and Eastern train will leave lone at 4:15 p. m. arriving at Martells at 4:55 p. m.

### DOCUMENTS RECORDED.

The following instruments have been filed for record in the recorder's office since our last report. We publish a complete list of documents recorded, and must decline to accede to any request to suppress any document from these columns. Don't ask us to do so.

Deeds.—John E. Brown to Henry Kaufman et al, 80 acres 8-7-10.

Peter Tierney and wife to James Edward Tierney, lot in lone valley, \$10.

Chas. Gillis to Vincent Matulich, lot 21 block 1, Amador City, \$10.

Vincent Matulich to Mrs. V. Matulich, lot 21 block 1, Amador City, gift.

Apropos Mining Co. to Argonaut Mining Co., Hoffman Field property, Jackson district, \$10.

G. F. Williamson and wife to Lawrence White, part of lot 7 block 1, Amador City, \$10.

Jacob King and wife to Domenico Seculo, lot 17 block 1, Sutter Creek, \$250.

Trust Deed—Henry Kaufman et al to John E. Brown, 80 acres, 8-7-10, to secure \$900.

Assignment of Mortgage.—Salvatore Dal Porto to John Strohm, of mortgage executed by A. Contrucci and wife, \$900, also of chattel mortgage, \$100.

Cancellation of Mortgage—Smith to Luttrell.

Chattel Mortgage.—Frank Perano to John F. Brignole, fixtures in Mascot saloon, Sutter Creek, \$400.

Certificate of Redemption—Fred Hammer, land in 28-7-9 etc., taxes of 1899, \$98.84.

Declaration of Homestead.—W. G. Snyder, lot 6 block 5, Jackson, valued at \$1000.

Mortgage—James Harris to I. P. Ostrom, 320 acres, 36 8 11, \$590, 3 years at 8 per cent.

Receipt.—From John E. Brown acknowledging payment of \$200 from H. Kaufman et al, to be applied on principal of note.

### M. E. Appointments.

At the M. E. conference held this week at Pacific Grove the following appointments have been made for Amador county:

Jackson, Thos. H. Nicholas; Sutter Creek, W. M. Pickard; lone, F. P. Flegal; Pina Grove, Thomas Spencer.

The Rev. T. H. Nicholas will return from the conference this week, and the usual services will be held in the church here next Sunday.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co; doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December A. D. 1886.

A. W. Gleason, Notary Public.

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## From Our Exchanges.

The re-opening of the public school in Mokelumne Hill, Calaveras county, has been indefinitely postponed owing to an epidemic of diphtheria.—Exchange.

The most the twelve thousand depositors can expect to realize from the wreck of the looted California Safe Deposit Trust Company is 23.25 per cent of the money they put in, and it may take years to get even that amount. This is the statement of Edward J. LeBreton, the receiver.—Democrat.

Frank Gillice, non-union millman at the Bunker Hill and Sullivan mine at Kellogg, Idaho, and who was found the other day in Sacramento, claims that he was kidnapped by two men, compelled to ride with them in a box car, and finally taken by them to the capital of California, where he was robbed of \$500 and turned loose. He also says that en route his captors planned to kidnap other people. Gillice is the engineer who was running the hoist at the Portland mine in Victor, Colo., when the cage dropped 2,000 feet, killing 14 miners. It is thought that tragedy may have affected his mind.

While digging postholes on the lot in the rear of the Ben Lihle cottage in the Annex, last Monday Gus May found a Peruvian silver half dollar dated 1836. The coin was found at a depth of about two feet.—Angels Record.

Last Tuesday night the Standard Electric Company were obliged to shut down their big plant at Electra for 25 minutes owing to the extremely heavy thunder and lightning. This was the first experience of that kind any California electric light plant has had.—Citizen.

At the adjourned session of board of trustees, last Friday evening, the rate of taxation was made seventy-five cents on the \$100 valuation. That, with the county and special assessment of fifty cents on school bonds, will raise Sonorans to the tune of \$2.85 on the \$100.—Banner.

Information comes to this city that a flash of lightning caused a fire in the brush in Hetch Hetchy valley last Tuesday night. Soldiers started from Yosemite to the place of the fire, but were stalled at Cranes Flat by a heavy fall of snow. They went no farther concluding that the snow and rain would extinguish the flames.—Banner.

Owing to the shortage of water, the Utica Company on Tuesday night laid off all the underground men at the Cross shaft, closing down operations until the rains set in. The Stickle mill was shut down last night, and the only work to be carried on will be that of keeping the water out of the Cross, and repair work about the mine. The mules were taken out of the shaft on Wednesday. At the Gold Cliff work will go on as usual, as also at the Madison mill.—Angels Record.

### Hearst Trims Bryan.

In his address William R. Hearst said, in part:

I have come all the way from New York to make an explanation, not an apology, of why I have ceased to call myself a democrat and have withdrawn from the support of Bryan.

Look at this man Haskell, whom Bryan made chairman of the committee on platform and treasurer of his campaign fund. This man Haskell, known as political paymaster of the Standard Oil, is asked by Mr Bryan, first, to make a platform the Standard Oil will approve of, then to collect from the Standard Oil the material expression of their approval.

Mr Bryan has hauled down his flag and surrendered. Where, in all of Mr Bryan's vacillating course, with its ignominious conclusion, could I find an inspiration for further devotion or opportunity for honorable approval?

I have come to regard Mr Bryan as a trickster, a trimmer, a traitor. Mr Bryan alleges that I am angry at him because he did not support me for the presidency at St. Louis four years ago. That is not true. If Mr Bryan thought I was not the most available candidate, it was his duty to oppose me. But if Mr Bryan thought I was not the proper candidate, he should not have approached me in New York four months ago with a proposition to support me in the next campaign if I would support him in this campaign.

Thomas L. Higen spoke, in part as follows:

The hypocrisy of Mr Bryan and his labor pretensions have been exposed by Mr Hearst, in that he showed by affidavits that Mr Bryan called organized laborers public beggars, and that he put in charge of the financial end of his campaign a man (Gov. Haskell), who denounced labor organizations as being a form of contemptible fanaticism.

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## GROW YOUNG ELECTRICALLY.

Paris is full of plans for living forever these days. There is the Yogurt, or sour milk plan; the Rene Quinton, or sea water plan, the vegetarian plan, the fruitarian plan, and the Arsonval, or electric plan, which is based on the theory that the majority of people die from sclerosis, or hardening of the walls of the arteries.

Prof. Jacques Arsene d'Arsonval is the originator of the theory that this can be prevented by the application to the system of electric currents of high frequency and other doctors have taken up the idea and are practicing "franklinization" with different varieties of apparatus.

According to one system the patient sits in a chair placed on a slab of glass or other nonconducting material, and a skeleton cylinder made of copper wire is lowered over him so that he seems to be sitting in a bird cage. This cage is connected with a current passing through an interrupting apparatus which causes an alternation at the rate of 500 vibrations a second.

When the current is applied a torrent of electric fluid is poured over the patient. His body becomes covered with sparks from 8 to 10 inches long, accompanied by sharp cracklings, which are even described by some observers as slight detonations. The "franklinized" body seems to be the center of a fireworks set piece.

All the while the patient feels nothing. Seated easily in his chair, he can talk, smoke, read or sleep. When he is let out of the cage, at the end of thirty minutes or so, it is said the arterial tension has been increased. After six treatments the pressure usually returns to the normal standard. The treatment can then be discontinued for a time.

The cure is not permanent. What the patient gains is a temporary renewal of physiological youth. When the effects begin to wear out he can have the treatment renewed.

The cage apparatus is called a solenoid, but some of the electro-curists prefer to use a spiral coil, which is the invention of Dr. Guilleminot. This consists of a series of concentric copper rings placed on each side of a chair, with which it looks like the wheeled chairs used by some cripples. Each group of rings is connected with an interrupting machine, and an advantage is that in some maladies a stronger current can be applied to one side of the body than to the other. This is sometimes important in paralytic cases.

Besides arterial sclerosis the electric system of Dr. d'Arsonval is extensively used for neurasthenia. Its application is based on the theory that the human organism partakes of the nature of the storage battery and that nervous collapse is due to unequal electric charges or to exhaustion of the supply of electric fluid in the body.

The application of the high frequency current is supposed to remedy this by fully and evenly charging the system with electric force, thus restoring tone and balance to the brain and nerves. In many cases the inhalation of ozone is secured simultaneously with the electric charging by placing in the mouth of the patient a thick bunch of coarse grass. This, it appears, under the influence of the current transforms the oxygen which is inhaled into ozone.

### A Traveling Man's Experience

"I must tell you my experience on an East bound O. R. & N. R. R. train from Pendleton to Le Grande, Ore., writes Sam A. Garber, a well known traveling man. "I was in the smoking department with some other traveling men when one of them went out into the coach and came back and said, 'There is a woman sick unto death in the car.' I at once got up and went out, found her very ill with cramp colic; her hands and arms were drawn up so you could not straighten them, and with a deathlike look on her face. Two or three ladies were working with her and giving her whiskey. I went to my suit case and got my bottle of Chamberlain's colic, cholera, and diarrhoea remedy (I never travel without it), ran to the water tank, put a double dose of the medicine in the glass, poured some water into it and stirred it with a pencil; then I had quite a time to get the ladies to let me give it to her, but I succeeded. I could at once see the effect and I worked with her, rubbing her hands, and in twenty minutes I gave her another dose. By this time we were almost into Le Grande, where I was to leave the train. I gave the bottle to the husband to be used in case another dose should be needed, but by the time the train ran into Le Grande she was all right, and I received the thanks of every passenger in the car." For sale by Jackson Drug Store, Spangnoll, prop.

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## MACARONI IN ITALY.

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Every one pictures the Italian as eating macaroni. What if I tell you that the Italians, taking them as a people, do not eat macaroni, and yet this is virtually true. Macaroni in Italy costs 4 to 8 cents a pound, and it is too costly for common use. It is about as accurate to say that the Italians live on macaroni as that the Americans live on turkey. Macaroni to the working Italian is a luxury. You often see young fellows on a holiday indulging in a dish in a restaurant or before a street cook stand about as Americans would eat ice cream. A customary workman's dinner is a hunk of bread broken apart and "battered" with a few traces of tomato sauce. As for meat, it is the greatest rarity, and the only drink they can afford is water, which has the advantage of being cheap and filling. The Italians at home are not only temperate, but abstemious. Wine and beer and even tea, coffee and chocolate are forbidden to them on account of the expense. In all Italy we saw no one under the influence of liquor. So also there is practically no smoking. The government has a monopoly of the tobacco business, buys its supplies in quantities direct in America and elsewhere and charges three prices for everything. The few tobacco shops keep a piece of smoldering tow tied at the doorpost, so that patrons and passers may light their cigars by it.—Los Angeles Times.

## WOMAN'S WIT UNCERTAIN.

As When This Wife Failed to Appreciate Hubby's Pleasantry.

"Don't always rely upon the ready wit of a woman," said the man who is sometimes pleased to consider himself an oracle. "That ready wit business is sometimes prone to get way off. For example, my wife and children had been staying in the country for several weeks, and I was regular with my letters, as every loving husband should be. Finally on the day before my wife was to start for home I concluded my letter to her with these words:

"This will be the last letter I will write to you for a long, long time." "When I got down to my office the next morning I found a telegram from my wife waiting for me. 'What on earth do you mean?' read the dispatch. 'Later a registered letter came from her. She had blotted almost every line with tears. What it was all about I could not imagine.

"Then my telephone bell rang, and when I answered I heard my wife's voice speaking over the long distance phone.

"Oh, John," said she. 'Is that really you? I thought you had committed suicide!'"—Washington Post.

### Remedy For Choking.

"Raising the left arm as high as you can will relieve choking much more rapidly than the act of thumping one's back," said a physician, "and it is well that every one should know it, for often a person gets choked while eating where there is no one near to thump him. Very frequently at meals and when they are at play children get choked while eating, and the customary manner of relieving them is to slap them sharply on the back. The effect of this is to set the obstruction free. The same thing can be brought about by raising the left hand of the child as high as possible, and the relief comes much more quickly. In happenings of this kind there should be no alarm, for if the child sees that older persons or parents get excited the effect is bad. The best thing is to tell the child to raise its left arm, and immediately the difficulty passes away."

### The Popping Stone.

"The popping stone" marks the spot where Sir Walter Scott asked Miss Carpenter to marry him. It is situated in the beautiful valley of the Irthing, at Gilsland, an inland watering place near Carlisle. The popping stone is visited by many thousands during the summer months, and it is said many a laggard lover has had his courage screwed up to popping point at this romantic spot. In the immediate neighborhood may also be seen "Mumps Ha," which Scott immortalized in "Guy Mannering," while a little farther afield the Roman wall and Lanercost priory prove attractions to visitors to Gilsland.—London Chronicle.

### Hardships of the Very Poor.

Little Marion, having few real playmates, has supplied herself with several imaginary ones, with whom she has many surprising experiences. Her mother recently overheard her playing with her large family of dolls and entertaining a visionary caller.

"Yes, Mrs. Smif," she said, heaving a deep sigh, "we are poor, terribly poor. We are so poor that I have to spank my babies to keep them warm."—Woman's Home Companion.

### Costs Sometimes.

"There's no use talking about it—a chronic disease is an expensive thing to have."

"That depends. Mine never cost me anything."

"What's your trouble?"

"Kleptomania."—Cleveland Leader.

### The Biter Bit.

Hewitt—Who was that fellow who in a fit of absentmindedness tried to light his cigar from the electric light? Jewett—He's a joke writer who makes a specialty of jokes about countrymen blowing out the gas.—New York Press.

As soon as a man acquires fairly good sense it is said that he is an old fogey.—Aitchison Globe

## SELF EVIDENT.

What the Man Wanted When He Got in the Barber's Chair.

The baldheaded man with four days' growth of beard on his chin entered the barber's shop and sat down in one of the operating chairs.

"Shave, sir?"

"No!" growled the man in the chair. "I want to be measured for a suit of clothes."

"This isn't a tailor shop, sir."

"What is it?"

"It's a barber shop."

"What work do you do in this shop?"

"Shave men and cut their hair, sir."

"Do you think a man with no hair on his head would come here to have his hair cut?"

"No, sir."

"Then, presuming me to be a sane man, but baldheaded, what would you naturally suppose I came for?"

"For a shave."

"Then why did you ask me if I wanted a shave when I took a seat in your chair? Why didn't you go to work at once? If some of you barbers would cultivate a habit of inferring from easily ascertained data, instead of developing such wonderful conversational powers, it would be of material aid in advancing you in your chosen vocation and of expanding your profits. Do you comprehend?"

"Yes, sir," replied the man as he began to lather the customer's face in a dazed sort of way. And he never even asked him if he wanted brillantime on when the operation was performed.

## EPICURES STUDY HOTELS.

Then They Go One Place or Another, as Fancy Dictates.

Epicures accustomed to dining in hotels and restaurants study the policy of each fashionable place and readily tell just why they go to one place or avoid another. They have their likes and dislikes, aside from actual eating, regarding the waiters, the music, the ventilation and a hundred and one other things a casual visitor would fail to appreciate.

For instance, at one restaurant only single portions are served for one person. At another, where the cooking is equally good, half portions, nearly or quite as large as the single portions of other places, are served for one person. There was a little dispute at a well known hotel over a mistake in an order of trout and chicken that made a difference of several dollars on a check for a rather simple dinner for two. It was settled "out of court," as it were, and quite agreeably, but hotel managers regret and try to avoid these mistakes, especially when the customer is a regular visitor, for they know he never forgets the details of his eating and is slow to forgive an error.

Another peculiarity of diners is as to the location of tables. Some persons cling to one table and feel aggrieved when they find another in their favorite seat. Restaurant proprietors have tried to understand this peculiarity of their patrons, but have to admit they fail to explain it.—St. Louis Republic.

### Why Naval Uniforms Are Blue.

Naval uniforms all the world over pretty well are navy blue. The British fashion in this matter has been the rule with maritime people in general. That blue was ever selected for the king's naval service was a fortuitous happening. When in 1747 the question of uniform was being considered the color selected had very like to have been French gray laced with silver. While the king was still not quite decided he saw the Duchess of Bedford in a riding habit of blue faced with white and enlivened with gold lace. It was a revelation. Here, the king declared, was the uniform for his sea service officers, and no more was heard of French gray. The navy took to blue, and every other navy has taken to it since.—Pall Mall Gazette.

### A Reasonable Translation.

The teacher was telling the class in fourth grade geography about the great seals of the different states, using the pictures in the dictionary as the basis of the lesson. Pointing to the seal of Virginia, she asked:

"Now, who can tell me from this picture what should be the meaning of these Latin words: 'Sic semper tyrannis?'"

Bobby's hand went up.

"All right, Bobby; you may tell us."

"Take your foot off my neck," was Bobby's reply.—Judge.

### Tit For Tat.

The Japanese do not like to be called Japs. A noted diplomat was traveling from Tokyo to Yokohama when an American in the car leaned across and said, "Say, what 'ese' are you, Chinese or Japanese?"

Quick as a flash came in excellent English, "May I inquire what 'key' are you, Yankee or monkey?"—Philadelphia Ledger.

### The Eastern Question.

"Paw, have you ever been east?"

"Yes. I spent a year in New York city when I was considerably younger than I am now."

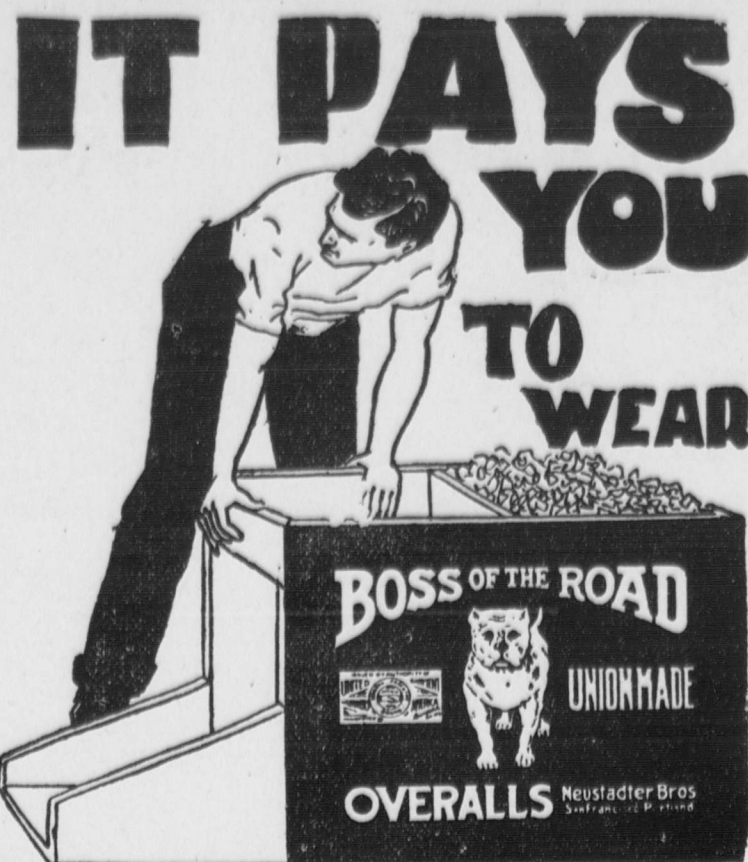
"Well, what is the 'eastern question?'"

"The only one I ever heard was, 'How much is he worth?'"—Chicago Tribune.

### Human Nature.

Take the case of the fellow in the next block. You have always considered him upish. He has considered you upish. One day you are introduced, and then each of you discovers the other to be a pretty good sort.—St. Paul Pioneer-Press.

There are enough serious things in life without considering yourself one of them.—Cynic's Calendar.



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## SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY

Reported weekly for the Ledger.

French Forest-Making.—Gas-Aided Coal Fires.—Weather and Epidemics.—Appetite, Natural and Acquired.—Up-to-date Corn-Popping.—Making Electro-Magnetism Felt.—Chestnuts Poisoned by Mushrooms.—Music Localized in the Brain.

A striking example of scientific forestry is furnished by the coast of France, chiefly Gascony, where in 1793 tree planting was begun in an attempt to fix the sand dunes, which the winds were steadily pushing inland over the vineyards. Pine forests have now covered 275,000 of the 350,000 acres of dunes. About \$2,000,000 has been spent on the work with \$700,000 more for forest administration, but the State has received \$120,000 more than the cost, while the 125,000 acres still retained have a value of \$10,000,000. Farther inland, about 2,000,000 acres of worthless shifting sands and marshes, in the triangular area of the Landes, have been converted into profitable pine forest since the middle of last century. This work, mostly done by the communes, has created a property worth \$100,000,000 as valued from the present yield of pine timber and resin.

Natural gas added to the fire makes it practicable to burn low grades of slack coal in western Pennsylvania, and now it is being found in England that a little oil gas not only imparts high efficiency to poor coal but gives a fire without smoke. Injected by a jet of steam into a retort at the front of the furnace, the oil is gasified by being passed to the rear of the fire and back to the retort before being blown down upon the fire. As small a proportion as 3 per cent of oil greatly increases the heating value of bituminous coal and makes it smokeless; while a cheap inferior coal, evaporating 6 pounds of water per pound of coal, has been so improved by 12 per cent of oil as to evaporate 10 pounds of water per pound.

Our experience is that seasons affect the human organism, and Dr. A. Magelssen, a German physician, now reports that even epidemic diseases are connected with atmospheric conditions. Records at Christiania since 1860 show that scarlet fever, for instance, fluctuates with changes in temperature and weather.

The sick man gauges his illness by the amount of his pain, his fever, and his loss of appetite, looking upon the last as of greatest significance. Attempting an experimental analysis of appetite, Dr. J. Strickland Goodall, of London finds that craving for food is of two general kinds—a primitive hunger, depending upon tissue growth, and a psychic hunger, due to cerebral or nervous action. The first is the hunger of the new-born. Psychic hunger develops with the sense organs, is absent at birth, at a minimum in the young, and becomes of maximum importance in the advanced liver or epicure, but dwindles toward the end of life. It is the result of sense evolution and education. The experiments prove that psychic hunger is based largely upon individual likes and dislikes, but greatly modified by early education and needs. A kitten, for instance, can be taught to prefer tomatoes to fish. This hunger is totally absent in the new-born animal, which has no likes or dislikes, and the new-born infant sucks its finger as readily after dipping in castor oil as when wet with milk. Vision, taste and smell have important but variable influence. Vision is a leading factor in psychic appetite in birds, some fishes, and monkeys; smell, in dogs; and taste, in adult man. Cats depending on vision, eat lead lotion more readily than milk from a blue saucer, and refuse green-stained milk but greedily devour red-stained. Fishes, when blinded, starve in the midst of plenty. Vision is of some importance in man, and restaurant-keepers note that chocolate-colored food is preferred by well-to-do adults, yellow-colored by poorer classes, and pink by children. The congenitally blind like meat and strong-tasting substances, rejecting flavorless vegetables. The dog is guided by smell, caring little for color. Taste, instead of smell or vision, is the leading factor in man, and is most attracted to sweets while bitters are usually chosen before acids.

The electric corn-popper one of the newest of modern luxuries is a dainty receptacle—much like the old-fashioned quart dipper in shape—with a pair of rubber-tired wheels for easy shaking. It is connected to a lamp-socket and a cost of five cents an hour gives a bushel or so of crisp kernels with no burned fingers or face.

Electro-magnetic waves have been believed to have no effect on living matter and in proof of it some physicists have enclosed themselves in large solenoids or cylindrical spirals of wire which become hollow magnets on the passage of an electric current and have felt no change when the current was turned on creating the powerful magnetic field. That these waves actually do affect organic matter has now been demonstrated by J. Rosenthal of Erlangen. The substances—starch sugars, glucosides and proteins—were dissolved in water and placed in a solenoid through which a current of 5 to 10 amperes was passed. These bodies—known to be sensitive to the similar waves of light—proved to be acted on by the electro-magnetic waves. Decomposition was obtained, however, only with low frequency currents and the changes seemed to resemble the obscure reactions brought about by enzymes, or unorganized ferments. Constant electro-magnetic force was without effect on these substances as on the living organism. The force must fluctuate so as to produce waves, and these experiments suggest that suitable intermittent currents may produce magnetic waves that the human senses can perceive.

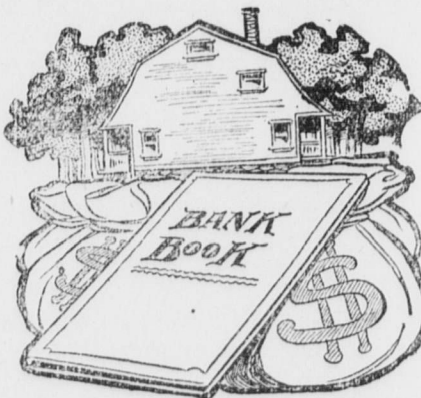
A curious parasitic disease appeared a quarter of a century ago in the chestnuts of the French slopes of the Pyrenees, and has since spread to the central Pyrenees, destroying whole forests. The growth is a kind of mushroom. In its development it seems to poison the tree, and in three years the stately chestnut becomes a hollow, broken stump, without branches and quite lifeless. Carbon bisulphide—a somewhat expensive remedy—appears to save the trees when applied in season to the roots.

The center of musical perception in the brain has been found by Prof. Auerbach, of Berlin, in the left side of the forehead in the second circumvolution. The discovery due to post mortem inspection of the brains of two eminent musicians, was confirmed by the case of a singer who suddenly lost ability to sing and after death showed a cyst in this very circumvolution.

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## WOMEN WERE SCARCE.

A Feminine Face Caused a Furore in California's Early Days.

There were few women in the California mining camps in the old days, and the advent of an emigrant wagon with a woman in it caused a furore, as is proved by the following incident from the reminiscences of former Senator William M. Stewart: "Women were so scarce in California at that time that this was sufficient to arouse the whole camp. The 'boys,' as we were called, were scattered along the coyote diggings for a distance of about four miles, and when anything unusual happened the words, 'Oh, Joe!' would be passed along the whole line. When I saw the feminine raiment I raised the usual alarm, 'Oh, Joe!' and this called the attention of the miners on Buckeye hills, where I was, to the clothesline which had attracted my notice. They gathered around on the hill, nearly surrounding the covered wagon and its contents. The rush of the boys in the immediate vicinity to see the wonderful sight attracted those farther away, and in less than ten minutes two or three thousand young men were anxiously watching the wagon, clothesline and fascinating lingerie. In alarm the man that belonged to the woman inside stuck his head out of a small tent beside the wagon. I assured him that no harm was intended, but that we were very anxious to see the lady who was the owner of the clothes. This aroused her curiosity sufficiently to induce her to pull the curtain of the tent aside so that her face could be discovered, but not fully seen.

"I then proposed that we make a donation to the first lady that had honored our camp with a visit. I took from my camp a buckskin bag, used for the purpose of carrying gold, and invited the boys to contribute. They came forward with great eagerness and poured out of their sacks gold dust amounting to between \$2,000 and \$3,000. I then proposed to appoint a committee to wait on the lady and present it. The motion was unanimously carried, and one of the gentlemen appointed on the committee suggested myself as chairman. I took the sack of gold and went within about thirty feet of the tent and made as good a speech as I could to induce the lady to come out, assuring her that all the men about her were gentlemen, that they had seen no ladies for so many months and that the presence of one reminded them of their mothers and sweethearts at home. I told her that the bag of gold was hers on condition that she would come out and claim it. Her husband urged her to be brave, but when she finally ventured out about halfway the cheers were so vociferous that she was scared and ran back.

"She repeated this performance several times, and I kept moving slowly back far enough to get her away from the little tent so the boys could have a good view of her. I suppose half an hour was occupied with her running back and forth while the boys looked on in admiration, when I finally gave her the bag, with all the good wishes of the camp. She grabbed it and ran into the tent like a rabbit. The next morning the wagon, oxen, man and owner of the inspiring apparel were gone, and we never heard of them in after life."

## Where the Funds Went.

As an instance of the happy go lucky character of the early dorky the following extract from the Albany (N. Y.) city records may prove interesting:

"In 1826 the trustees of the African Baptist church applied to the common council for permission to circulate a public subscription paper in aid of the funds of the church. It was moved to lay the petition on the table, pending investigation, for the reason that the principal part of the funds secured by a previous subscription for the African church had been used by the trustees in 'treating themselves to hot suppers.'"

## Presidential Succession.

During the first session of the Forty-ninth congress (1885-7) the presidential succession was fixed as follows: In case of the death or removal of both president and vice president the secretary of state shall act as president until the disability of the president be removed or a president is elected. If there be no secretary of state, the secretary of the treasury shall act as president. And the succession passes in like manner to the secretary of war, the attorney general, the secretary of the navy and the secretary of the interior, in the order here given.

## Cultivate Your Power.

Do not pray for easy lives. Pray to be stronger men. Do not pray for tasks equal to your powers. Pray for powers equal to your tasks. Then the doing of your work shall be no miracle. But you shall be a miracle. Every day you shall wonder at yourself, at the richness of life which has come in you by the grace of God.—Phillips Brooks.

## Faded.

Tess—Yes, she said her husband married her for her beauty. What do you think of that? Jess—Well, I think her husband must feel like a widower now.—Philadelphia Press.

## His Idea.

Tired Tatters—I wish I had money enough to patent a idee uv mine. Weary Walker—Wot's de idee? Tired Tatters—A noomatic tire fer perlice clubs.—Chicago News.

The millennium will be a time when people carry out their good intentions.—Puck.

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## LOCAL EDITORIAL COLUMN.

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4. It encourages scratching the ballot. This is a very serious objection. In a presidential year, and with only one local candidate to be voted for outside of the judgeship, the percentage of scratched ballots should be reduced to a minimum, with the party candidates kept separate and distinct. But the republican voter in Amador county is placed in the predicament that he cannot vote a straight ticket by simply stamping a cross in the circle at the head of the ticket, without voting for a democrat. In other words, a straight ballot does not mean an all-down-the-line vote for republican candidates for him. It means that for the democratic voter, but not for the republican. Hence the latter is placed at a decided disadvantage by the act of his own party convention. If he wishes to signify his disapproval of such coercive tactics he must stamp his ballot opposite the name of every candidate for whom he wishes to vote. When he is thus forced into the scratching business against his will, straight-out candidates of his party are liable to suffer in the mix-up, either from mistake or design. It is surely loyal partyism to avoid such risks, instead of running deliberately into them under the pretext of "good politics."

5. It exposes the party to ridicule. From one end of the county to the other, the matter has called forth derisive laughter on all sides. It is looked upon as a vicarious sacrifice by one political organization for the benefit of the other, with the feeling of humiliation and disgust among republicans at being thus made a laughing-stock in the house of their friends.

6. The excuse of taking the judgeship out of politics, pressed to its ultimatum, means the abandonment of party lines in county affairs. The district attorneyship, the supervisors, and in fact every other county office, might with just as much reason be termed non-partisan, as the judgeship. The official duties of each are required to be conducted in the interest of the public, regardless of party. But in truth, the patronage that belongs to each and all of them is expected to be given toward strengthening the political organization to which the individual belongs, and owes his nomination and election. The party that adopts a policy contrary to this well recognized rule is making a bid for disruption.

But perhaps the silliest excuse of all is the one mostly resorted to by its advocates in defending this action, namely that it will have the effect of preventing the judge from electioneering against republican candidates hereafter. This position is too humiliating to merit discussion.

## THE TAX RATE.

The supervisors have established the tax rate for state and county purposes at \$2 on the \$100, the same rate as last year. The reduced rate of 40 cents for state purposes, being 4½ cents lower than last year, has had no effect in reducing the amount that the taxpayers of this county will be called upon to pay. True the reduced assessment roll will make the amount raised for local purposes about the same as last year.

Within the city limits of Jackson the rate will be \$1.55 on the \$100 as the city taxpayers are exempt from the road and bridge levies for county purposes, which total 45 cents. The city tax rate is 65 cents on the \$100, so that the total property taxes for all purposes in Jackson will be \$2.20, making a clear tax, after all deduction, of 20 cents extra that we have to contribute for self government as an incorporated city. This is not a heavy burden, although it is something of a lift over the demands of last year, notwithstanding the reduction of 5 cents within the city.

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## Dissolution of Copartnership.

Notice is hereby given that the copartnership heretofore existing between Melvin Ford and W. Yolo, in the blacksmith and wagon making business in Jackson, under the firm name of Ford and Yolo, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

All parties indebted to said firm will please pay their bills at once to M. Ford, who will assume all liabilities of said firm, and who will hereafter carry on the business solely in his own name.

MELVIN FORD.  
W. YOLO.  
Jackson, August 20, 1908.

## PROVISIONS OF SALE OF KEYSTONE MINE

## An Agreement Out of the Usual Order.

As the terms of the agreement of sale of the Keystone mine at Amador City between the company and Sidney F. Brock, have been the subject of much discussion, we herewith publish the provisions in full:

That the purchasers shall take possession and commence work upon said mining properties within 14 days from the delivery hereof and shall immediately proceed to pump out and clear out the bottom of the incline down to the 1200 foot level, measured vertically; also to crosscut west to the Keystone vein, also the drift approximately 50 feet running north from said crosscut, and also the winze leading down from said drift to the point where said vein leaves said winze. The work in this paragraph shall be known as the first development work. In the prosecution of said first development work, the purchaser shall timber said work with timbers sufficient for prospecting only, but may, as a portion of said first development work, repair the timber and cross ties at the bottom of the incline, sufficiently to operate the skip thereon. The owners shall be allowed before the purchaser takes possession thereof, to clean up the mill, and remove old iron from said properties.

That after reaching the point where said vein leaves said winze, the purchaser may proceed with such other development work as he shall think proper during the term thereof, which said work shall be known herein as the second development work. In prosecuting work upon said mine the purchaser shall maintain the incline shafts at the same angle that the same are now constructed upon, and of the same dimensions.

That the owners, their agents and experts shall at all times be permitted to visit and inspect said mine. The incline shaft, drift known as the 800 south in the Spring Hill vein, and the raise in the slope in said drift, shall be kept in good condition by the purchaser, provided the purchaser shall not be liable for caves in said shaft, drift and raise caused by caves in other parts of said mine.

That in case the timbering in parts of said mine outside of said incline shaft, drift and raise shall become rotten, or out of order to such an extent as to make caving imminent, the purchaser shall take out the air pipe and T rails therein and store the same in a suitable place, provided the purchaser shall be permitted to use said air pipe and T rails in operating said mine.

That all profits derived from prospecting or operation of said mine, beyond the cost of operating expenses, shall be deposited in the First National Bank of San Francisco. The purchaser shall render to the owners a monthly statement of the operating expenses itemized as far as possible, and the books of the purchaser kept with relation to said mine, and the operation thereof, shall be open to the inspection of the owners or their agents at all times during business hours.

Said operations shall be conducted in as economical a manner as is consistent with effective working.

That the purchaser agrees to keep the buildings upon said mine insured at least the amount now carried, in insurance companies of good repute, and to comply with the terms of all insurance thereon now in force, or hereafter to be issued.

That all mining supplies now upon said properties, (herein termed current supplies) shall be taken by the purchaser at the cost price of the same to the owners. Said current supplies shall be deemed to consist of wood, timber, oil, powder, caps and fuse. An inventory shall be made immediately giving the amounts and character of said current supplies, and the cost thereof, whereupon the purchaser shall pay for the same in cash within ten days thereafter. All supplies other than those purchased at once by the purchaser, shall be replaced by the purchaser, in case he shall not purchase said mine as therein provided.

That in consideration of this contract, the purchaser agrees to pay the Keystone Consolidated Mining Company the sum of \$5000 upon the signing hereof, the sum of \$15000 within ten days from such signing, and the sum of \$40,000 on October 10, 1909.

That the owners agree to deposit in escrow with the First National Bank of San Francisco a grant bargain and sale deed, and bill of sale transferring all equipment used in connection therewith to the purchaser. Said deed and bill of sale shall cover all the properties of said Keystone Consolidated Mining Company, including claims, ranch, buildings, machinery and equipment, excepting said current expenses.

That if the purchaser shall find

satisfactory evidences of ore in said 1200 foot level or drift, or winze, he shall so declare, which said declaration shall be made within 30 days after the same shall have been cleaned out to the point where the vein leaves said winze, whereupon the owners shall be exonerated from paying for said first development work as hereinafter provided. In case the purchaser shall not be so satisfied, then he shall within 30 days so declare at said time last mentioned, whereupon the owners shall within six months thereafter refund to the purchaser said \$60,000, plus the cost of said first development work. The purchaser during the progress of said development work shall keep a separate account of the cost thereof, itemized as far as possible. All second development work shall be at the cost of the purchaser. The claims of the purchaser for the return of the \$60,000 and the cost of said first development work, shall constitute a lien upon and shall be enforced against said properties in the manner in which mortgages are foreclosed, with liability upon the owners to a deficiency judgment in case said properties shall not realize sufficient to reimburse the purchaser.

The owners hereby guarantee for the term of 18 months from date the right of the purchaser hereunder to work any of the veins on said properties upon their dip, and also their strike as far as the end lines and as deep as desired.

In case the pumping and cleaning out of the workings leading to the said winze and the winze itself shall require more than six months of diligent effort in a workmanlike manner, then the time of this option shall be extended to the extent required in addition to said six months. Said time shall also be extended by delay, caused by acts of God, failure of electric power from causes not due to the fault of the purchaser, fire, failure of water and strikes not willfully caused by the purchaser. The purchaser shall notify the owners of the amount of the extra time, if any, upon reaching said winze.

That the purchaser may elect not to purchase said mine as aforesaid at any time after reaching the point at which said vein leaves the winze, and within 18 months from the date hereof, in which case the aforesaid equipment and machinery upon said properties, the incline shaft drift and raise, shall be left by the purchaser in as good working order as when the properties were delivered to him, reasonable wear and use excepted.

That the owners may enter upon said premises at any time for the purpose of repairing any parts of said properties, which the purchaser is not bound to repair, and shall have reasonable use of the machinery and appliances upon said properties for that purpose.

In case the purchaser shall be satisfied upon reaching said point where said vein leaves said winze, he shall within 30 days so declare. Thereafter the purchaser shall spend at least \$3000 per month in development work.

In case the purchaser shall elect to purchase said properties at any time within 18 months from the date hereof he shall pay to the Keystone Consolidated Mining Company the sum of \$140,000 cash, whereupon said deed and bill of sale shall be delivered to him.

The aforesaid profits of the workings of said mine, deposited as aforesaid shall be applied as follows:

In case the purchaser shall purchase said properties then the same shall be applied upon the purchase price thereof. In case he shall elect not to purchase said mine, then said deposit shall be applied to the payment of the said sum of \$60,000, and the said cost of the said first development work, after which the same shall be subject to the order of the Keystone Consolidated Mining Company.

That the purchaser shall be allowed 40 days within which to examine the title to said properties. In case the same shall be found defective, the owners shall, within a reasonable time after notice, perfect said title. It is understood that as to the East Keystone quartz claim, only a location shall be required, and that as to the Keystone ranch, only a possessory title shall be required.

In case of loss or destruction of the buildings upon said properties, the proceeds of said policies shall be made payable to the Keystone Consolidated Mining Company, or Sidney F. T. Brock, as their interest may appear.

Taxes for the current year shall be paid pro rata between the parties herein, all future taxes while this contract is in force, shall be paid by the purchaser.

That the purchaser shall not permit claims for labor or materials furnished to said mine to accumulate, nor any liens of mechanics, miners or materialmen to be filed thereon.

The purchaser shall at all times, keep posted in the hoisting works of said mine, a notice under the chapter of the code of civil procedure, relating to the liens of mechanics and

## SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT

—OF—

## Public Administrator of Amador County.

To the Honorable R. C. Rust, Judge of the Superior Court of Amador county, California:

The undersigned, the Public Administrator of Amador county, pursuant to the provisions of Section 1736 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, hereby makes to the Superior Court of Amador county, under oath, a return of all the estates of decedents which have come into his hands since said last return, the value of each estate according to the Inventory and Appraisal thereof, the money which has come into his hands, from every such estate and what he has done with it, and the amount of his fees incurred in each estate and the balance, if any, in each such estate remaining in his hands.

H. E. POTTER.

Name of Decedent	Appraised Value of Estate	Cash Received	Ex. of Administration, Debts, Funeral Expenses and Money distributed	Balance on hand	Adm'r's Fees	Settled
E. B. O'Neill	\$133	\$154 01	\$154 01	None	\$10 75	Settled
D. Martinetti	100	100	100	"	7	"
D. Skero	76 75	76 75	76 75	"	5 35	"
Tedy Buzolich	72 50	72 50	72 50	"	5	"
Luigi Nana	46 50	46 50	46 50	"	3 25	"
James P. Drew	81 50	81 50	81 50	"	5 70	"
V. Mazzetti	65	65	65	"	4 25	"
O. Zanzucci	809 43	809	438 85	370 15	56 60	Unsettled
Mary Thomsen	950 05	844 05	844 05	None	59 10	Settled
Joseph Manley	No appraisal	62 25	11 65	50 60		Unsettled
O. Zanetti	99 92	99 92	11 50	88 42		"
John Voss	No appraisal	55 40	6	49 40		"
Nick Sky	58 32	58 17	6	79 17		"
John Brazzkovich	118 76	118 76	6	112 76		"
Mary Mullen	1310 00	305 00	161 60	143 40		"
Ann E. Trelease	No appraisal	Nothing rec'd	Nothing paid	Nothing paid		Unsettled

State of California ss.  
County of Amador,

H. E. Potter, the Public Administrator of Amador county, after being duly sworn, deposes and says:

I was during all the times mentioned in the foregoing statement the duly elected, qualified and acting public administrator of Amador county; have read the foregoing return made on this day by me to the Superior Court of Amador county, and know the contents thereof, and say upon my oath, that the same is true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me

this 24th day of August, 1908.

(Seal) M. L. SMITH,

Notary Public in and for Amador county, California.

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